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Utah Hunsakers Honor Founder Of Large Family

Among the better family histories that have been printed during the past few years is that of the Abraham Hunsaker family, edited by Q. Maurice Hunsaker and Gwen Hunsaker Haws. The six by nine, 270-page letter-press printed volume contains about fifty family pictures. The first American ancestor of the family is Hartmann Hunsaker, who with his wife Anna and six children came to Pennsylvania from the German speaking section of Switzerland via Rotterdam in 1731. Belonging to the Dunkards, the family left its old-country home because of the prevailing religious oppression.

The family first made its home in Germantown, Pa., but moved early to Lancaster County, Pa., by which time there were nine children in the family, eight daughters and a son, John (Johannes or Hannes). By 1790 members of the family lived in various counties of Kentucky and in the early 1800s several of the families, led by then 83-year-old John had come to Union County Illinois. John, by the way, had thirteen children, born between 1751 and 1777. His sixth child, Jacob, born 6 May 1859, had a family of nine children, who came to Illinois. Jacob's third child, Jacob, Jr., early in his married life also moved to Illinois, with his family of fourteen children. The third child of that family, Abraham, born 29 Nov 1812 in Jonesboro, Union County, Illinois, about a hundred miles southeast of St. Louis.

In southern Illinois the Hunsakers became closely related to the Wolfe and Kimmel families through marriage.

A tradition in the Hunsaker family is that the well known William Tell of early Swiss fame belonged to it.

After Abraham had married when he was 20 years of age, he bought some land at Payson, about ten miles southeast of Quincy, Ill. There he came in contact with members of the Mormon Church, but since he had strong ties with the Dunkard he retained his affiliations with that organization. It was only after he, his older brother John and his younger sister Mary Ann had had some really faith-promoting experiences that they joined the Mormon Church.

It was in February 1846 that Abraham Hunsaker and his family joined the "long caravans streaking out across the mighty Mississippi over a solid floor of ice, which stretched from bank to bank a distance of one mile" and started on

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Montgomery Pamphlet Is Available

Montgomerys everywhere will no doubt be interested in the 75-page record compiled by Mrs. ohn H. (Catherine Cameron Wilkerson) Bryan, West Point, Miss. Consisting mainly of the genealogy of Hugh Montgomery who in 1757 came from Scotland to the Lancaster District of S.C. it includes the records of his eight sons and two daughters: ohn of Lancaster District, S.C.; his oldest daughter who married a Kirk and live in Rutherford Co, Tenn.; ames of Tenn.; Hugh of Tenn, and Robert, William, Samuel, Alexander, oseph and Mary Ann Montgomery Mackey, all of Adams Co, Miss. oseph also resided in Claiborne Co., Miss.

Included are also abstracts of Montgomery wills from the various counties and states where they resided, together with numerous Bible records and marriages from similar counties.

In a letter Mrs. Bryan explains that "the book is not for sale as I only had a few copies made for family and friends. However, if any one connected with the Montgomerys needs the information I may have a copy or two left for them."

Quick Reply!

Mrs. G. A. (L. Winifred) Jacob, 1320 University St., Walla Walla, Washington, writes "Bouquets to you and take a bow! I had a reply to my recent advertisement ten days before receiving my copy of the December "Helper." Surely, this must be some sort of a record."

Either that or some lagging postal workers en route!

McKeever History Is Good Reading

If you are interested in genealogy, family histories are interesting to you whether or not they deal with your own family. It is also interesting to learn how the writers of the history first become interested in genealogy. It seems that you are interested to eat it for breakfast, dinner and supper, and perhaps have a snack of it between meals!

That's the thought that struck us as we glanced through the well-handled "The McKeevers and Allied Families of West Middletown, Washington County, Pennsylvania." The compiler is Mrs. Louis (Bernice Bartley) Bushfield, 509 Daniel Street, Toronto, Ohio. It is an 8½x11 mimeographed 172-page book.

It deals with the emigrant ancestor of the McKeevers who originated in America in 1792 when William McKeever, his wife Mary McFadden and their three small children, Alexander, Jane and Sarah, who may have been natives of Coota Hill, County Caven, Ireland, made their home in New Jersey but later moved to southwestern Pennsylvania. Other McKeevers are known to have been in Washington County, as also were many McFaddens, some of whom later went to Harrison County, Ohio.

William and Mary had eleven children, nine of whom lived to maturity. They were Alexander, Jane, Sarah, Thomas, Matthew, Elizabeth, Susanne and Nancy. Their descendants are scattered over most of the states in the union.

Allied families of the McKeevers bear 594 different surnames of which the largest families are among the following: Acheson, Anderson, Andrews, Barrett,

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Sleuthing In Family Search

By GEORGE OLIN ZABRISKIE

The late Louis L. Blauvelt, long time member of the Holland Society of New York and for many years trustee of the Genealogical Society of New Jersey, and I exchanged a great deal of genealogical information during the past few years. Louis published the Blauvelt Family Genealogy in 1957 and then our correspondence turned to his book. In October 1957, I informed Louis that his Number 620, Annatje Smith and her husband Daniel J. Haring had a son not shown in the book. He was James Smith Haring, who was born August 26, 1820, and who married, according to the South Scraalenburgh Dutch Reformed Church records at Bergenfield, New Jersey, July 8, 1840, Mary Ann Bell. I also said that another record gave his wife as Rachel Bett ,and sent some census records which also gave his wife as Rachel.

In response, Louis wrote "We have a bit of puzzle here. You say he married Rachel Bett, . . . I find that on 7-8-1840 at Schraal, James S. Haring married Mary Ann Bell. As in the 1870 census there seemed to be a Sarah E. Bell in the family. I rather suspect that the Bell is correct rather than Bett, but how about the Mary Ann? Most surely in both census returns the wife is Rachel

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Utah Family Remembers Heritage

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their long dreary trek toward their unknown destination in the Rocky Mountain fastnesses.

When the migrating Mormons reached Council Bluffs, on the Missouri River, opposite Omaha, 400 miles west of Nauvoo, from where they had been driven from their homes, they were entreated by military men to join the American forces in the war against Mexico. Encouraged by Brigham Young to heed the call regarless of the perdsonal sacrifices it would entail, five hundred men enlisted in the Mormon Battalion. Leaving wives and little children to continue alone to the Rockies, the Mormon Soldiers started out on the longest march ever made by the armed forces under the most trying circumstances imaginable. Abraham was one of the five hundred.

"The thoughts of leaving my family at this critical time are indescribable he wrote in his journal. "They are far from the land of their nativity, situated on a lonely prairie with no dwelling but a wagon, and the scorching sun beating upon them, with the prospect of the cold winds of December finding them in the same bleak, dreary place."

When the Battalion completed its 2,000 miles march in San Diego, California, the commanding officer, Lt. Col. P. St. George Cooke, in complimenting the men on their accomplishment said, "History may be searched in vain for an equal march of infantry. Half of it has been through a wilderness where nothing but savages and wild beasts are found, or deserts where, for want of water, there is no living creature . . . Thus, marching half naked and half fed, and living upon wild animals, we have discovered and made a road of great value to our country."

On July 16, 1847 when the five companies comprising the Mormon Battalion were mustered out at Los Angeles, Abraham was a first sergeant in Company D. Four days later he and others set out for the Rockies which they reached October 16, 1947 via Sacramento and Carson City. Although it was a terrific disappointment to him to find that his wife and family were still on the Missouri River where he had left them the year before, he didn't hesitate to continue his arduous journey. Resting in Salt Lake City less than two days after completing his 1,200 mile trip from southern California, he set out on another thousand mile trip to join his family on the Missouri. It took exactly two months to complete the trip. Six months later he and his family were part of a large group en route to Salt Lake City, arriving there Oct. 12, 1848, fifteen months after the arrival of the original pioneers.

Living in the southern part of Salt Lake County, Abraham Hunsaker had accumulated a considerable herd of cattle and sheep, part of which they grazed south of Utah Lake, in the southern part of Utah County where they had a lot of difficulties with the Indians. In one skirmish the Indians killed one of his sons, Lewis Hunsaker.

In the fall of 1857 the Hunsakers moved all their belongings into Box Elder County where they built some of the largest and finest homes to be seen anywheres in the then Utah Territory. In the intervening century the Hunsaker descendants who have remained there occupy some of the finest homes and farms in the northern part of the county. Their property is not far from the Promontory Mountain where the transcontinental railroads from the east and the west were joined in a Golden Spike ceremony on May 10, 1869. Abraham Hunsaker attended that celebration.

It has been estimated that Abraham Hunsaker has had more than five thousand descendants, at least half of whom are now living. Among his great grandsons is Delbert Leon Stapley, a well known Arizona agriculturist, banker, legislator, and religious leader, who is now a member of the Quorum of Twelve Apostles in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, the second highest administrative body of that organization.

After a thorough search during the summer of 1959 for the burial places of early Hunsaker family members, Q. Maurice Hunsaker, president of the Hunsaker Family Organization, recently published a companion pamphlet to the History of Abraham Hunsaker and His Family. The 8½x11 pamphlet contains maps of the general areas of cemeteries in Muhlenburg County, Ky., Union and Hancock Counties in Illinois, and photographs of many burial plots monuments of Hunsaker descendants who are buried there. Those mentioned on the markers are Abram (Abriam) Hunsaker and his wife Mary; Nicholas Hunsaker and his wives, Olivia W. and Rhoa; Samuel, J. C. Willis B., Elijah W., Ben F., Polita (?) J., Rachel, Nancy, Joseph, Jemima C., Joseph, Susan L., and W. H. Hunsaker, all in the Jonesboro cemeteries; George M., Nora G., Frank, Montgomery, Donna G., and Emily R. Hunsaker in a small private cemetery southeast of Anna, Illinois. It also identifies twelve Hunsaker graves in the so called Kimmons cemetery near Quincy, Illinois.

Those interested in Hunsaker genealogy may contact Mrs. B. Austin (Gwen Hunsaker) Haws, 730 Hillcrest, Logan, Utah, co-editor of The History of Abraham Hunsaker and His Family.

Judge Revises Well-Known Reference

One of the better general genealogical reference books, Search and Research by Judge Noel C. Stevenson of Wasco, California is now in the market in a revised edition, considerably enlarged and improved over the first edition.

Information where to find the necessary genealogical information in each state in the union is given under the following headings: General Information, Libraries, Historical Societies and Archives; Reference Books; Military Rosters, Rolls and Records; Official Records; Federal Census Records; State Census Records; Research Suggestions and Geographical data. Naturally the older the state the more information is available.

Under the general heading of Sources For Research are listed such divisions as Official Records, Records of Church Organizations, Schools, Etc.; Family Records and other Private Sources, Miscellaneous Sources, Libraries and Historical Societies, Age and Legal Capacity, Library of Congress, National Archives, Godfrey Memorial Library, The Genealogical Society of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, The American Council of Learned Societies, Research through Correspondence, Research in Official Records and Original Sources, Pension Files, The United States Census, The Mortality Schedules, Church Records, Research in Newspaper Files, Research in Libraries, General Reference Books and Sources, Reference Books; New England, Military Registers and Records, Bibliographies of Family Histories and Place Histories, Reference Books: Pre-American Ancestry, Genealogical Periodicals and Historical Societies.

Before beginning any research in any state it may be well for the researcher to study intently all material published under the heading of that particular state.

Search and Research may be catalogued among the kind of reference books that researchers should have at their finger-tips throughout their research activity.

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14-1-1 Seymore, Seymour, Vail, Blake

Mary J. Buchanan, Box 391 Kingston, Ida.; data wanted and will xch. Francis Seymore come from Eng bef 1867. Wifes name unknown. Jane b 30 Mar 1844 Eng. (dau of Francis Seymore) m Joseph Vail b? d 27 May 1910 Brainerd, Minn. age 64. She d 1 Sept. 1924, Brainerd. On d cert of Jane name is spelled Seymore on that of her dau it is spelled Seymour. Some sources say Joseph Vail had a sister Amelia who had been m to a British Army officer and had lived in India bef 1880. Some say he was a medical missionary from Eng. After death of her (1) husband Amelia m (2) Jesse W. Blake b 14 June 1850 in Durham, Queens County, Quebec. Jesse W and Amelia Vail (....) Blake adopted two boys, Willie McMeekin and George E. McCarthy. They lived in Brainerd, Minn Willie m Cora (dau of Frank H. Blake b 27 Aug 1847 Durham, Queens Co., Quebec). Do not know where Cora was born . Would like names and date and place of b of ch of Joseph and Jane Vail and also of his bros and sisters. Probable source: 1870 Census Saginaw, Saginaw Co., Mich. 1880 c Duluth, St. Louis Co Minn.; 1890 c Brainerd, Crow Wing Co, Minn. for Vail; 1880 c Faribault, Faribault Co. Minn. Blake; 1890 c Brainerd, Crow Wing Co., Minn. Jesse W. Blake.

14-1-2 Randel, Linn, Lynn, Joh

Mrs. Harold Walters, New Ross, Ind., asks for p of Asa Randel (Randall, Randle, etc) b 1799, Ga, d 1880 Ind. 1) w Margaret ? (srnm unknown). Came to Ind. from Ky. Would like to crspd with anyone knowing anything abt his fam, p, gp, etc.

Would like to crspd with someone with inf on Adam Linn and two bros. who came to West Moreland Co, Pa, in 1730 from Ireland. Nm may have been spelled Lynn.

Would like to crspd with someone with info on Joh fam living in Staunton, Va., in early 1800's. Three known ch were Mary, m Issac Humbert; Margaret, m Jasper Weaver and William Joh, never m . They came to Ind.

14-1-3 Reish

George A. Reish 32 So 13th St., Lewisburg, Pa., seeks info abt Jeremiah Reish, b abt 1849 in Snyder Co (then part of Union Co) Center Twp, Pa. Jeremiah and bro James Reish left Snyder Co for Three Rivers, Mich abt 1872. Relatives visited them abt 1890. From that date on Jeremiah was not heard from. I believe he had some descendants but can find no trace of them in Three Rivers, Mich. Want any pertaining info.

14-1-4 Wigley

Mrs. E. A. Pulliam, P.O. Box 45, Windom, Fannin County, Texas will pay for any authentic data on p and gp of John Wigley b 1801 SC Dade Co, Ga., 1850 census lists him liv with wife Polly, b SC and ch b Ga., Joseph, Caroline, Jacob Daniel, James, Marion, Martha and Jackson. Would like to crspd with any one connected with any Wigley lineage.

14-1-5 Adair, Stewart, McBride, West, Kirkpatrick, Burden, Marlow

Mrs. L. L. Bernheim, 2660 Mira Vista Drive, Richmond, Calif. Info wanted on p and desc of Robert Adair. His will probated January 11, 1794, in Huntingdon, Pa. Nmed in will were his w Jean, his sis Janet Stewart, and six ch: John Adair, bought land in Guernsey Co, Ohio, Aug. 15, 1807; James Adair; George Adair m Isabella McBride, 1815, Ohio; Arthur Adair, m Hanna West 1822, Ohio; Nancy Adair m Thomas Kirkpatrick, 1809, Ohio and Jean (Jane) Adair m Reuben Burden, ,Dec. 25, 1812, in Ohio. John Adair had sons Robert and Michael. Michael Adair (1810-1889) m Mary Marlow Oct. 26 1846. Mary b in Va Nov 21, 1818, d Guernsey Co, Ohio, Jan. 5, 1890.

14-1-6 Marshall, Teague

Mrs. Ramona Floyd, 149 West Center, Apt. No. 5, Logan, Utah would like to know full name of R. M. Marshall, where he was b Jan. 1, 1825 and who his p were. He d 31 May 1911 in Texas. His 1) w Nancy Jan? Jarbor had nine ch. The oldest was John Thomas Marshall b 16 Nov. 1852 Grayson Co. Texas, d 18 or 31 May 1931 or 1937. He m Sarah Lavoina Teague. Other children were James, Luceion?, Franklin Monro, William Presley, George, Joseph C, Elmire and Jimmie.

R. M.'s 2) w was Mary Evaline Robison? had seven ch nmed Malton, Dave, Edman b 17 March 1870 d June 1956, Alvin b 26 Jan. 1872 d 17 Dec. 1943, Andy, Isaac b 15 July 1878 d 18 May 1910 and Myrtle . Are these nms and dates correct? Would appreciate data on Marshall-Teague line of Texas-Oklahoma vicinity.

14-1-7 Ainsworth, Hainer, Barber, Taylor

Mrs. E. J. Sheldon, 825 Cascade St., Erie, Pa. wants p & anc of Hiram Ainsworth and w Julianna "Ann" Hainer. Hiram b 1806 May 28 Conn. where? and Juliana b 1807/08 Troy, Rens, Co, N.Y. m ca 1828. They prob li in NY state. Not in 1830 census NY or Pa. Tradition

says Hiram came to Troy with his f 1825 and fam settled there and later moved to Albany N.Y. Hiram went to Jamestown NY ca 1829/30 to work in saw mills prob while there he bought land in Pa. Also info on William and Asenath Barber. Was Asenath Barber related to him? How? Barbers liv in Pomfret, Chau. Co. NY. Who was Joseph Barber and female li in Craw Co Pa, perhaps Sparta Township? He between 20/30 she between 30/40. Was S. Taylor b 1810/11 Mass or his w Sarah b NY 1813 ca, related to Hiram or his wife, Hiram's dau Julia was li with them 1850 Census. Was female between 70 and 80 yrs., in Hiram's home 1840 his or her mor? I have heard that Frank, a younger bro of Hiram came with his wife to li with Hiram and died there. There are no records, they are not in any Census record, but were there late enough for the ch to recall them. They were both said to have been deaf mutes. Who were Hiram's other bros and at least one sis? where did they settle? Did Hiram's mor d bef he left Conn? Did his father m2) after he came to NY state? If so ,who?. Did he die between 1825 and 1830, where? Julia Hainer (Haner) had a sis. Salome and prob Diana. There was said to be several sisters and bros., and all came to Pa. Who were they?? Where did they settle and m? Where did p live after they were in Pa? Can anyone help me?

14-1-8 Rowley

Mrs. Gilbert Neal ,Shell Rock, Iowa, desires info on anc of Newell ROWLEY, dairy farmer in Fabius? NY early 1800's. Family may be identified by traditional Rev. War story: British forced mother left alone with young son to cook meal, boy emptied soldiers' powder horns in front of horses, lit it, causing horses to bolt ,while boy hid under granary. Who was this boy? Ch of Newell Rowley: David Reynolds, Newell, Olive E., others?

14-1-9 Loud, Woodbury, Scammon

Mrs. E. C. Boggs, 1835 Adams Lane, Zanesville, Ohio wishes info on anc of Samuel Loud, b 4 Mar 1785, Newburyport, Mass., d 14 Feb 1815 and wife Betsy Woodbury m 3 Dec. 1806, Portsmouth, N.H. Shipmaster. She m 2) Jeremiah Cotton 11 Mar. 1821. Samuel and Betsy had son Rufus Woodbury Loud, b 11 Mar 1808 Portsmouth, N.H. m Jane Scammon 25 Nov. 1832 Saco, Maine. Migrated 1838 to Scott Co., Ill.

14-1-10 Geiger, Jerkins, Thornton, Hutto, Brown, Knight, Webb, Ott, Deaver

Bessie Geiger (Mrs. J. B.) Hearn 3208 13th Ave., Columbus, Ga. Wants info on John Henry Geiger m Henrietta Jerkins both b Charleston, S.C., he between 1796 and 1811, she abt 1802. Who were their p? John Henry Geiger d abt 1836 leaving his widow with two sons, John Henry, Jr. and William Green, who died at the age of 12 years. Henrietta m2) William Thornton, Ozark, Ala. John Henry Geiger, Jr. m Sarah Ann Hutto, dau of John Andrew Jackson Hutto, son of Jacob Hutto and Uley Ann Brown. Jacob was son of Petter Hutto b Germany. Who was Peter Hutto's father, whom did he m?

Want p of John Knight b abt 1796 SC, m Patsy Martha Webb, Clark Co Ala, 5 Aug 1821. Patsy was half Cherokee, b 1802 SC, p of Abraham Ott b 1814-15 SC, d Clark Co Ala 1884, m Mary Ann Deaver, b 1828 SC d 1869 Clark Co Ala. She was dau of Elizabeth Deaver, who was Cherokee, and was m four times. The first three were Dumford, Hosey and Lacey. Will xch info on the above lines.

14-1-11 Watts, Mott

Mrs. Marjorie E. Klink, 1532 2nd Ave, San Mateo, Calif., says William Watts m in 1833 Mary Mott in England. Ch: Ann b 1834; Henry, b 1836; Peter b 1839; Elizabeth, b 1842; William b 1844; Hannah b 1846; Sarah Jane (my gm) b 1847 and Charles b 1850, all b in Naseby, Northamptonshire, England. Came to America abt 1854. Where did they settle? May have been Ohio. Wish to crspd with any desc of the above.

14-1-12 Bullock, Bulloch, Horton, Thacker, Mize, Wilson, Barton

Mrs. Lynda Langston Fimbres, 22109 Claretta Ave., Artesia, Calif., desires info and crsp on Thaddeus Warsaw Bullock b 4 Feb ca 1865-75 at Nacogdoches, Texas and w Mary Elender Horton b 23 Jan 1873, St. Augustine, Texas. He was son of Thaddeus Warsaw Bullock, b Tenn and Sarah Bulloch, dau of James Bulloch. She was dau of Henry Prinnell Horton, son of Sam and Ibey (?) Horton, and w El Vena Amanda Thacker, dau of John and Betsy Bulloch Thacker. Also info on John Posey Mize, b 10 Jan 1860, Atlanta, Ga, son of Daniel Mize of Double Springs, Ala, and Mackie Revis of Ga., and w Laura Emoline Wilson, m 1881, dau of John and Sarah Ann Barton Wilson.

14-1-13 Worthy, Newson, Newsom, Brooks, Dee, Bennett, Moore

Marvin Nash Worthy, Rt. 1, Lilburn, Ga., would like to crspd with anyone, anywhere on any branch of Worthy fam. Has much data on Worthy of England, Va, NC, SC, Ga, Tenn, Ala, Miss, La, Ark and Texas. Would especially like to learn how town of Worthy, Vermillion Co, Ind, got its name. Did a Worthy fam settle near there?

Seek info on John Newsom and Catherine Newsom, a widow of Morgan Co, Ga, 1821-1827. Did they come from Warren Co, Ga? What is their ancestry? Some of fam later mov to Walton and Gwinett Cos, Ga. Name sometime spelled Newson.

Need data on Brooks fam of Morgan, Walton and Gwinett Cos, Ga, 1816-1850. Especially desire p, bros and sis of Jabez Brooks b ca 1799 in Ga. Was Jabez Brooks who m Sally Davis Dee 8 Dec 1816 in Morgan Co, Ga, same Jabez liv Walton Co, Ga, 1830, and can either of them be identified as the Jabez of 1840-1850 liv in Gwinett Co, Ga?

Want nmes of p of John G. Bennett b 1813 in Ga, veteran of Creek Indian War of 1836 from Gwinnett Co, Ga, m Sarah A. Moore and had one known bro Stephen b 1818 in Ga. Believe this fam rel of Bennetts liv in 1820 in Jackson and Walton Cos, Ga. Has anyone worked on this Bennett line?

14-1-14 Meade, Keach

H. J. Baker, 1412 W. Main, Crawfordsville, Ind., asks who were p, gp, etc., of Hannah Meade, m Rev. John R. Keach b March 1795, d 2 May 1826 at Mt. Sterling, Ky.

14-1-15 Wilson, Blackburn,

Thomas D. Graham, 74 West Central Ave., Delaware, Ohio, wants list of ch of David Wilson, b ca 1685 in Scotland; mov to Ireland after 1715; m ?, dau of Archibald Blackburn. Known sons: William, 1722-1806, m 1743, Elizabeth Blackburn; Samuel, b 1738; James, 1742-1798, Signer of the Declaration of Independence. ("Other sons came to America," Brice Papers).

Biography of William Wilson, 1800, (Portrait and Biographical Album of Linn County, Iowa, 1889) states he was son of William Wilson, 1762-1848, grandson of Moses Wilson and that James Wilson, Signer, was his great uncle. Did David Wilson has a son, Moses?

14-1-16 Potter, Smith, Mangum

Mrs. Ruby Potter Valantine, 5100 Rangeview Ave., Los Angeles 12, Calif., seeks crspd with desc of Arnold Potter (my gf b 1804 NY, d 1872 Council Bluff, Iowa (LDS) m 1) c 1823 in NY, Almira Smith. Ch. b in NY: Harriet, 1824, William W. 1826, Ann 1828, Sarah Delight, 1830 (m Wm. Mangum) and John H. Potter b 1832. Some in Nauvoo, Ill., 1845; some in Payson, Utah, 1855; some on 1850-51 census Utah. Will xch Potter antecedents.

14-1-17 Roper, Poole, Tarbutton, Silvertooth, Collier

Mrs. Ira B. McCullen, Sr., Amory, Miss., wants anc of Francis Yewell Roper b Tenn 16 Sep 1813 and w Mary Poole, b Ga 6 Apr 1822. He had bros John and Bill and sis Margaret and Sarah. Mary's mother believed to be Margaret Tarbutton b NC. Mary's bros were Bob, Isom and Abe Poole, and sisters Beadie Annise Poole. Have census records of Francis Yewell Roper and Mary Poole Roper and family in Pulaski Co, Mo, in 1840, Berryville, Ark. 1850 and 1860, and in Hartville, Mo., Pulaski Co, 1870 . Believe father of Francis Yewell Roper to be John Roper, preacher and miller listed in 1840 census of Pulaski Co, Mo. Need proof. Want to crspd with Ropers, Pooles and Tarbuttons of Tenn, Ga, and Mo.

Want proof p of George W. Silvertooth, Clinton, Ky, were George Silvertooth and Hannah Collier of Mercer Co, Ky. Would like to crspd with Colliers and Silvertooths of Ky and Tenn.

14-1-18 Henry, Williams, Cates, Mayberry

Mrs. M. C. Pearce, P.O. Box 389, Kerrville, Texas. Would like crspd with anyone having knowledge of the Henry fam who settled in Knox Co., Tenn., in an effort to find p of John Henry and whether or not he had a sister, Margaret and a brother, Hugh. I know there was a William and Ezekiel Henry (brothers?) in Knox Co., Tenn. from abt

1791 to 1799; who were others there around this time? I would like to have a copy of will of any person with the surname of Henry that shows John and perhaps Hugh and Margaret as sons and dau. Did any of the Knox Co., Tenn. Henry families live in or close to Lincoln Co., Tenn. before coming to Knox? John Henry, b 1795, Knox Co., Tenn., d 1843, Bibb Co., Ala., m Elizabeth Williams ca 1815; Elizabeth b ca 1795-1800, Tenn. John Henry was sheriff of Bibb Co., Ala., 1820's; was elected a colonel in the Ala. State Militia, 1836, Centreville, Ala. Hugh Henry, b 1800, Knoxville, Tenn., d 1836, Centreville, Bibb Co. Ala., m 1st in Tenn .....? had son, Pleasant Miller; m 2) Dedimiah Cates, 1826, Bibb Co, Ala, was also sheriff of Bibb Co, Ala. Margaret Henry b 1792, Lincoln Co, Tenn, d 1854 in Ark.; m ca 1817, George Mayberry and perhaps in Bibb Co Ala.

John, Hugh and Margaret named some of their children the same names: John William, Theresa, Louisa, etc. There is a persistent tradition that John, Hugh and Margaret Henry had the same ancestors as Patrick Henry. Were the parents of these three people some of the Henrys who came to Nashville, Tenn with Col. Donelson? Was the Hugh Henry who came with Col. John Donelson related to them in any way? Did the grandparents of Patrick Henry, Alexander Henry and his wife, Jean Robertson Henry, have son, William? Have recently been told that they did, but can not find the records for this William? Where is the proof?

14-1-19 Sim, Brook, Lee

L. M. Bradley, 417 Staten Ave., Oakland 10, Calif., would like to xch data on Dr. Patrick Sim d 1740 or 1745 and his wife Mary Brook, d 1758 and their desc. This couple lived in Prince George Co, Md. How is this couple related to the Lee family through the male descendants?

14-1-20 Lewis, Dunning, Pearson, Bell

Mrs. James N. (Lunelle Lewis) Robinson, 1225 Hickory, Abilene, Texas, needs p of Nathaniel Jefferson Lewis, planter, b 1812 somewhere in Tenn, m 27 Feb 1834, prob in Sou Ala to Sarah Dunning whose p, Thomas Dunning and Lillis Pearson are shown on the 1830 Marengo Co, Ala Census. Nathaniel Jefferson Lewis first shows on the 1840 Marengo Co, Ala Census and d 26 June 1860 in Marengo Co, Ala. Known bros and sis of Nathaniel Jefferson Lewis were (1) William Washington Lewis m Sophia Bell and res in Clark Co, Ala bef move to Texas (2) Samuel Lewis mov to Texas (3) Elizabeth Lewis remained in Marengo Co, Ala and m 1) a Mr. Beckham and 2) Joe D. Knight. A relative of William Washington Lewis says there is also a bro Andrew Jackson Lewis, who came to Texas, fought in the War for Texas Independence and d a bachelor shortly after war. Fam tradition says Lewis fam was Irish and had Coat of Arms. Ch of Nathaniel Jefferson Lewis and Sarah Dunning, all born Marengo Co, Ala: 1, Mary Elizabeth Lewis b 22 Dec 1834 m Jessie R. Beverly; 2, Thomas James Lewis (my ancestor) b 30 June 1836 m (1) Emily Isabella Hite Davis and (2) Martha Elizabeth Boozer. 3, Sarah Ann Lillis Lewis b 20 June 1838 m a cousin (Son of Samuel) Harvey Lewis and moved to Coleman Co, Texas. 4, John Burke Lewis b 5 Mar 1840, unmarried, killed near Ft. Dalton, Georgia while serving in the Confederate Army. 5, Marshall Jane Lewis b 25 Mar 1842, unmarried. 6, Andrew Jackson Lewis b 6 Feb. 1844, died in childhood. 7, William Jefferson Lewis (Matt) b 23 Feb. 1846, m Lucinda Rentz. 8, Samuel Worth Lewis (Dick) b 13 Oct. 1848 m. Julia Rentz. 9, Joseph Warren Lewis b 2 April 1851, died in infancy. 10, Pierce King Lewis (Mittie) b 7 March 1853 m George W. Compton. When I first started this search for my Lewis ancestor some 13 years ago, I thought it would be "a breeze!"—now, I think it would have been easier had the name been Smith. Any help or suggestions of any sort would be greatly appreciated. My theory, based on the traditional naming of the eldest son for its grandfather is that the father of Nathaniel Jefferson Lewis was named James Lewis (note my great-grandfather Thomas James Lewis and William Washington Lewis also named his eldest son James Lewis. I am also inclined to believe that the mother of Nathaniel Jefferson Lewis, William Washington Lewis and the others of that family was named, Mary, as both men named their eldest daughter Mary and that was not the name of the maternal grandmother). I cannot say that the past 13 years have been unfruitful, as in the search for my Lewis line I have found and completed my Davis and Dunham lines and gleaned info on many other related lines. However, as for this Lewis line, which happens to be my fathers family, all I can say is HELP!

14-1-21 Shaub, Schaub, Schaup, Shaup, Shoup, Wise, Riehle

Donald E. Shoup, Rt. No. 1, Burr Oak Kansas wants anc and crspd with desc of John Jacob Schaub who came from the Kanton of Bern, Switzerland to Pa. about 1800. Wife ? Wise; one son — Solomon was b 5 June 1823, Amity Twp., Berks Co., Pa., members of the German Reform Church; wife died in 1824 and John Jacob and son moved to vicinity of Youngstown, Ohio. John Jacob remarried and 1 son and 5 dau were born. Solomon m Magdalena Riehle on 12 Oct 1848 at Youngstown, O. I have the nms and b record of their 12 children (Solomon's). Tradition is that John Jacob was a doctor and that he served with Perry in the War of 1812.

14-1-22 Welker, Stoker, Eller, Dick

Lois Rose, 8920 Canby Ave., Northridge, Calif., desires p and wife's nm of Adam Welker b abt 1770-75. One of several ch is James b 19 Aug 1803 Rowan Co, NC. Adam had land records in both Rowan and Ash Co NC. Moved to Jackson Co. Ohio 1819; Henry Co., Ind 1830; Mo 1836-7; then Ill, where James died in Hancock Co. James m Eliz Stoker, dau Michael Stoker and Catherine Eller. Michael Stoker b 24 Mar 1762 Frederick, Md. son of John Michael Stoker and Ann Barbara. Catherine Eller b 6 Mar 1773 at Rowan Co. NC dau of Peter Eller and Eliz Dick. All these families migrated west together. Would appr crspd with anyone having knowledge of them.

14-1-23 Hall, Woolverton, Houck,, Hatcher, McClanskey

Mrs. Merlyn Houck, Rt. 3, Stillwater, Okla, wants anc Adam Hall, b Feb 1740 m where in Pa 25 Dec 1765 Ann Hatcher, b 14 Oct 1746. Their death dates and places wanted. Known ch: Sarah, b 2 Aug. 1775; John Hall b 18 Feb 1778, m Martha Hampson 12 May 1805, where; Susanna, b 10 Jul 1780, m 2 Oct 1802 William Woolverton, b 16 Feb 1775. Susanna and William Woolverton's ch: Ann b 26 Jul 1803; Sarah, John H., Martha, Isaac, Charles, William, Benjamin F., George W., and twins: Thomas Jefferson and Alfred. Ann Woolverton m James Houck where in Pa 7 Mar 1831; moved to Putnamn Co, Ind. where they d, he 5 Sep 1888, she 1 Oct. 1876. James was son of William Houck who served in RW, lived later in Huntingdon Co, Pa, and must have d abt 1853; he m Ellen McClanskey. Their ch: Wealthy b 1797 m Wm Kelly Corbin; Washington Houck b 1799, m 1) Sophia Penyard 2) Adaline Bebout, liv Knox Co, Ohio; Elijah, Ross, Adam ,Jonathan b 1809, mov to Putnam Co, Ind, m Nancy Elizabeth White 1830, prob Cambria Co ,Pa; Isabella Houck m Alexander McNicol; Sophia Houck m John Alloway; Autlery Houck m G. M. Green, li Johnstown, Pa; Ellen Houck m Henry Sarvel, and above named James W. Houck who m Ann Woolverton.

14-1-24 Joles, Dolph, Potter, Sirrine

Mrs. Luella Joles Foster, Scappoose, Oregon, needs help on Joles line. There is a Jolesfield in West Sussex, England and a Joles was Lord Mayor of London in 1615; then I find nothing until 1790; then there were two Joles fam Ebenezer and Jeremiah, liv in Stephentown, Albany Co. N.Y., according to 1790 census. In 1839 Harvey Joles of NY m Lydia Dolph in Summerhill, Crawford Co., Pa. They had eight ch and later mov to Sandwich, DeKalb Co. Ill. Their son, Thomas Benton Joles m Josephine Potter b in Little Rock, Ill. to Adeline and Lorenzo Potter, in 1867. They had one son, Nelson Lorenzo, b 14 Sep 1868. He m Mary Sirrine 14 Nov 1892 and d 30 Apr 1956.

Any information will be greatly appreciated.

14-1-25 Poole, Bourden, Perkins, Trowbridge, Eaton

Mrs. E. P. Stiles, 2630 State St., Carlsbad, Calif., says Daniel Poole b 12, 12, 1742 d 6, 27, 1781 Willington, Conn. and w Temperence Bourden were p of one Calvin Poole b 15 Mar 1774. Is this the Calvin Poole who abt 1794 taught the first school west of the Genessee River and who m Hannah Perkins who d in Wheatville, NY, 1813? And whose son, Calvin Poole, Jr., was b 22

Apr 1811 Geneseo, NY d 5 Jan 1899 Conneaut, Ohio? wife Harriet Trowbridge b 10 Jan 1818, d 31 Oct 1898 Conneaut, Ohio. History states there were four ch of Calvin Poole and Hannah Perkins. Need names and dates. Daniel Poole (1742-1781) Willington, Conn. was son of John and w Mary. Need b and d dates of John and his w. Was this John a son of John Poole (1688-1758) and w Sarah Eaton who d 1728?

14-1-26 Davis, Heston, Randolph, Butler

Mrs. Ron Gardner, 820 Florida St. SE, Albuquerque, NM says George Orshun or Orison Davis, b 1824-5, Ohio (census rec) d .....? served in CW prob Ohio, which county, m 1846 Carroll Co., Ohio, Mary Jane Heston, b 1828, d 1907 Carroll Co, Ohio, dau of Samuel & Albina (Butler) Heston. (Have Heston Line). Ch. 1, Clara (Clarinda) b 1849 md ..... Haile, she d in Kansas. 2, Mary Elizabeth b 1852 m John Morrison Randolph, Carroll Co., Ohio. 3, Annie (Annis) m 1) ..... Weaver m2) Michael Hays. . She d Beaver, Pa. 4, James b 1862 d 1940 m Jane Scarlett, no ch. 5, William b 1867 m Arvilla McCausland, Carroll Co., Ohio. Who were p of above Albina (Butler) Heston?

14-1-27 Franklin, Ransom, Pierce, Wolfe, Israel, Priestley

Mrs. Wallace A. Robinson, Jess Apt. No. 2, Lewiston, Idaho. Benjamin Franklin bro of Josiah (f of Dr. Benjamin) b 1650, Ecton, Northants, England, to Boston 1715. He had son John, who had son John b 1716 Canaan Conn. John b 1716, m Keziah Pierce b 1727 Canaan, Conn, dau Amos and Mary (Spaulding) Pierce. John and Keziah had s Samuel b 1759 who m 1791-2, Mary Ransom, b Canaan, Conn., dau of Capt, Samuel Ransom ,b Middleboro, Mass., RW Sold. George Wolfe Sr., b Alsace Loraine, came to Northampton Co Pa, 1751 with sons; one s Michael b 1735 had s Michael b abt 1752-3. All served in RW. The second Michael (m whom?) had s Samuel b abt 1800 Northampton Co Pa, m there Elizabeth Patterson (her p?) They had s Hiram Clark Wolfe, b 1835. Northampton Co, Pa, Samuel mov to Luzerne Co, Pa, by 1845. Hiram Clark Wolfe m Vestine Franklin gdau of Samuel and Mary Franklin, b 1844 Luzerne Co. Hiram and Vestine had s William Bertram Wolfe b 1872. He went to Nebr abt 1892. He m 1, Grace Israel, desc of Thomas Israel b 1777 Culpeper Co, Va, (m Christina Dean, 1798, Campbell Co, Ky) John Israel b 1806 Ky, s of Thomas Israel. Fam mov over to Ohio 1808, and 1828 to Decatur Co, Ind, where John m Mary Jamieson. Their s Francis went to Wayne Co, Ill where he m Sarah E. Turner. She was gdau of George Turner (of WVa.) and Sally (Fletcher of Ky.; wid?), and of William Campbell (of near Nashville, Tenn.) who m near Nashville, Elizabeth Dorris Priestley, of Ky; was she wid? first h? Turners were in Ill by 1823 and Campbells by 1833. Crspd appreciated and info especially desired on Israel, Michael Wolfe, Turner, Campbells and Priestley.

14-1-28 Merrill, Rees

Mrs. Charles M. Poor, 17140 Washburn, Detroit 21, Mich. Wants anc and info of Merrill fam Barnard, Vt., 1816 later of Battle Creek, Mich to which belonged Samuel C. Merrill m Lydia Ann Rees 31 July 1844 Battle Creek, Mich.

14-1-29 Hon, Fittro, Nye

Daphne M. Ramsay, Skamania County Court House, Stevenson, Wash., wants anc and crspd with desc Peter Hon b 1785 NJ m Hannah b 1801 NJ. Had 7 s :Samuel b 1818 NJ, Enos b 1819 NJ, Peter, Jr. b 1824 NJ, Thomas b 1830 NJ. Joseph b 1833 Ohio, Andrew J. b 1837 Ohio, William H. b 1839 Ohio. Peter Hon & Hannah and boys were in 1850 census of Louisa Co, Iowa, Grandview Twp. I have all desc of Samuel to present time. Enos m Catherine, ch: Mary E, David, Elizabeth, Nancy and Hannah, Thomas m Rozilla Fittro 1852 Wapello, Iowa. Samuel m Elizabeth C. Nye 1840. She was b 1821 Fairfield Co, Ohio, ch: George W., Adam N., John Wesley and Druzilla S. Samuel d 1850 Louisa Co., Iowa. Will exchange what I have. Have been unable to find any record in NJ. Could it be incorrect on Iowa census?

14-1-30 Hart, Lauderdale

Mrs. E. T. Simrell, Route 2, Box 148, Pinson, Ala. Would like info on fam of Thomas F. Hart, Sr. who was b in Ky 25 Dec 1789; d 12 Dec 1872. Tradition says he and a bro were orphaned and adopted by different fam in Abingdon, Va. Thomas left as soon as possible and came to north Ala settling in Morgan Co. He m Sara Lauderdale b 1798 in Tenn, d 1871; they had 11 ch: Joseph, Polly, Lutishia, Satiah, Bethenah, Sabrina, Drady, Cenith, Sarah Little, Thomas Jr. and John Quincy. Thomas knew nothing of his previous fam and no records were ever kept. I would like to know who was Thomas Sr's bro and p and how they d.

14-1-31 Moyer, Leiby

Mrs. William J. Greve, Freeport, Kansas, wants nmes of p and anc of Heinrich Meyer (Moyer) and w Maria Magdalena Leiby. Their ch were bapt in Dunkel's Ref Church, Greenwich twp, Berks Co, Pa, bet 1820 and 1839. Have data of their desc will xch.

14-1-32 Cannoy, Kenoy, Knoy

Mrs. Donald Thorn, 1173 8th St., Salem, Oregon.

From Rowan Co, NC Bk. 9, p 370, 1783, state grants at 50 shillings the 100 acres Valentine Beard 558 acres on Abbotts Creek next Barnhard Kenoy's field.

Bk. 9, p 371, Oct. 10, 1783 state grants 482 acres to Valentine Beard near a field of Pillip Knoy and Barnhard Kenoy.

Feb. 18, 1820, Adm of the estate of dec Christian Knoy is granted to Alexander Gray as the wid relinquished. Is this the Christian Connoy who was from Zeebrudge, Belgium? What was his wid nm? The Knoy or Kenoy fam was in Rowan Co, NC, prior to 1783. When did they take up land there Who were their wives and ch? Did they serve in the RW? I understand DAR have records on a Connoy soldier. How could I find more about this? Was Barney Cannoy (will probated 1817 Grayson Co, Va.) related to this fam? The will of Barney Cannoy, Grayson Co nm his wife Catherine (possibly his 2) w b bet 1780-1790 (ae 50-60 in 1830 Census of Grayson Co Va.) Ch nm in will were Jacob, John, b 1805, Phebe, Caty, Polly, Betsy, Ann, Sally, Susanna, Molly. Jacob m 24 Nov 1810, Wythe Co Va, Christena Kettering; John m 1) 3 Mar 1829 Reney Bourn, Grayson Co, Va, m 2) 15 Jul 1833 Eve Hackler, Grayson, Co, Va. Foll m performed in Grayson Co, Va. Phebe (Fereby) m 6 Jun 1809 Peter Catron; Caty m 13 Nov 1809 James Sage, Jr., Susanna (Suckey) 10 Mar 1814 James Warrick, Molly m 27 Aug 1833 Mitchell Wright, Betsy m 17 Oct 1817 Preston Hail (Hale), Anne m 14 Jun 1821 Jonathan Pool, Sally m 25 Apr 1833 Silvester Clark, Polly m 22 Dec, 1814 Robert Warrick.

14-1-33 Sutton ,Smith, Skinner, Wright, Comstock, Lybolt

F. W. Sutton, 3301 W. 9th St. Los Angeles 6, Calif., seeks p, bpl of James Sutton, a Quaker, b 3-7-1744 possibly on LINY, apprenticed ca 1758 to Wm. Field, a Quaker merchant, joined NY and Flushing MM 1765, transferred to Purchase MM 1768 in Westchester Co., NY, conducted own store at North Castle, m Sarah Smith 1769 or White Plains, a Presbyterian, mov to Wyoming Valley, Pa., 1772, d 7-19-1824 Exeter, Pa., fam became Methodists 1788. P, bpl of Phoebe Skinner (1777-1847) of Pa., who m ca 1800, Wm. Sutton (1775-1828) a stone cutter of Exeter, Pa., s of James, mov to Lodi (Ovid) NY and ca 1825 to Reading Center, NY, had s James, John, Daniel, Wm. Wm., and Ashley and dau who m a Covert and mov to Mich. P, bpl of Sarah Wright (1794-1821) of Burlington NY m 1815 Daniel Comstock, a Presbyterian of Hartwick NY, mov to Mayville, NY, d there, had brother Isaac (1805-1892) located Allegany NY, and possibly sister Ann, and had 2 children Louisa b 1816, and Martin L., b 1818. P, bpl of Catherine Lybolt (1802-1873) of Lysander, NY, m John Sutton, a stone cutter of Lodi, NY, mov to Reading Center NY and in 1830 to Penn Yan NY and in 1855 to Hornell, NY. Location in Ohio of James Sutton, Jr., a stone cutter Methodist ,son of Wm., of Reading Center, NY who mov to Ohio bef 1850 with fam of 5 males, 3 females.

14-1-34 Cooper, Pickard

Miss Edith Pickard, 723 North Grand Ave., Tyler, Texas. Who were p of Eliz. Cooper by 1794 La, d ca 1855 Clay Co., Ind.: m John Pickard ca 1813 where? Was she dau of John Cooper, chairmaker, Savannah, Ga., who d 1909? What relation are early Coopers of Parke, Lawrence and Martin Cos., Ind? One branch believed to be in Boone Co., Mo. Interested in all Cooper lines containing the names, Permelia and Jonathan (Jonothan).

14-1-35 Carpenter, Eckerd

Mrs. J. L. Taylor of Northwood, Iowa, wants anc an crspd with desc of Erasmus Carpenter d in Philadelphia abt 1840. Wife Catharine Eckerd Carpenter.

Sons William, Steve, Miles and George W.

14-1-36 Powell, Howard, Snead

James S. Howard, P.O. Box 433, Armington, Ill., asks was Ambrose Powell, RW sold of Culpeper Co Va, and son of Thomas Powell, f of Simon Powell of Estill Co Ky,? Was Simon f of Manuel Cleveland Powell of Estill Co Ky? Ambrose b 18 Jan 1761 in Culpeper Co. After war he went to Albemarle Co and from there to Ky. He received a pension from state of Ky. I want anc and desc of this line. Where was Daniel Howard b; who were his p; who are his desc? One known—Pinkney Howard, b in Okla near turn of century. Daniel's 1) w was Mary Snead. They lived for a time in Salem, Dent Co, Mo, where Mary d. Daniel remarried, probably in Okla and is known to have d later in La. Where was Mary Snead (Sneed) b; anc, desc?

14-1-37 Haynes, Mendenhall, Dillien, Fatoot, Beeman, Stallings, Hensley, Larison

Mrs. Mildred Homann, 2401 Caladium Road, Jacksonville 11, Florida wants 1. P, b and d dates of Thomas J. Haynes m? Cynthia ..... need her p and data. Thomas and Cynthia d of cholera bet 1851 and 1874 in one of Carolinas and are bur there; probably NC. A dau Anna May Haynes b 10 Sep 1851 d 8 Oct 1898 in Ill, m 3 Sept. 1874 in Ind Alvis Gaston Mendenhall who was Methodist minister. Need brothers and sisters of Anna May.

2. Daniel Mendenhall need his p and data m? Martha Dillion need her p and data. Daniel moved to Xenia (now Converse) Ind. from Carolinas before Civil War. A son Oscar was doctor in Xenia. Had other ch.

3. Mary Fatoot need p and data b NJ might have been part Indian m? Samuel Larison who might have been b in NJ; need his p and data. A son Silas Fatoot Larison b 4 Jun 1861 in Preble Co Ohio. Samuel and w probably settled in Ill as Silas m and liv there.

4. Lockhart Stallings need p and data m? Jimama —— need her p and data. A dau Elizabeth Jane Stallings b 10 Jul 1828 m Samuel E. Beeman b 14 Apr 1823 d 25 Mar 1888, need his p. Samuel and Elizabeth liv in Effingham Co, Ill.

5. George Hensley need p and data m need 1) w nm. A son David Milton Hensley b 24 Jan 1844 Clay Co Ind m 22 Sep 1878 in Ill Matilda Jane Beeman, dau. Mary Ann Hensley m Franklin Waggle in Ill: dau Margaret E. Hensley m Caleb Robison Parker in Ill, also 2 more ch. George Hensley apparently settled in vicinity of Jasper Co, Ill, for a short time then moving to Ark probably ca 1875-1880. Remarried, who was 2) w? He d ca 1884 probably in Ark.

14-1-38Brown, Cleveland, Hatfield

Mrs. Marvin L. Rauch, Box 873, Bow, Wash, seeks p of Gad Smith Brown who was b in Goshen, Litchfield co, Conn, May 8, 1813. In 1830 m Naomi Cleveland. Three ch b to them bef Naomi d. Gad then mov to Aurora, Ohio, and there m Betsey Elizabeth Hatfield in 1841. Nine ch b to them. Gad S. Brown was a citizen of Ohio for 35 years. Of Fayette co, Iowa for 13 years bef coming to Rock Rapids, Iowa where he d Jan. 8, 1893." The information from obituary and family bible. Would like to crspd with desc of Gad Smith Brown.

14-1-39 Barkman Lawrence, Bearkman, Barrackman, Backman, Mackey, Craw, Jones, Dodge, Hallock, Rogers, McPherson.

Hank Jones 560 Haas Ave, San Leandro, Calif. inquiries as to anc and desc of Jacob Barkman b 25 Dec 1755, NY, NY, d Jun 1838 Gorham, Ontario Co, NY. Desire p. He enlisted in RW several times in NY line. Listed as having six in his family in 1790 census of Kingston Town, Ulster Co, NY. In 1783 mov to Catskills with his uncle, Peter Lawrence. Anc and definite relationship of Peter Lawrence to Jacob Barkman desired . In 1793, Jacob Barkman mov to Rensselaerville, Albany Co., NY. Listed in 1800 census of Rensselaerville as having fam of 5 male, 4 female. The 1810 census of Rensselaerville lists him with 4 male, 4 female ch. On very next page of census schedule of Rensselaerville is listed Garret Bearkman (Barrackman-Barkman) son of John Barrackman (1790 Census of Shaftsbury, Bennington Co, Vt.). Does the close proximity of the two domiciles and the uniqueness of the names indicate a relationship between Jacob Barkman and John Barrackman? In 1817, he mov to Gorham, Ontario Co, NY, where he liv until he d. Who was his w? Jacob Barkman's 1) s was Jeremiah Barkman (Backman) who d April, 1853 in Catskill ,Greene Co, N.Y. leaving wid Polly, 2 sons Garret and Moses Barkman, a dau Rachel Barkman Mackey (w of Ebenezar Mackey of Erie Co, Pa.) and a gdau Eliza Ann Craw (w of George Craw of Gilboa, Schoharie Co., NY). Desire dates of b m and d of above. The 2) s of Jacob Barkman was Peter who m Esther Jones. They had ch Ephraim (liv in Hillsdale Co, Mich), Eliza, Harvey, Lorenzo and Myron (liv near Rochester, NY). Desire nms of desc of above Peter Barkman. According to his will of 1837, Jacob Barkman had s Moses who d bef 1837 and left dau Clarrissa Barkman. Desire name of h and desc. One dau of Jacob Barkman is Nancy Barkman who m William Dodge of Gorham. Other dau of Jacob Barkman according to his will are Caty Barkman (w of Peter Hallock) Polly Barkman (w of Samuel Rogers) and Betsey Barkman (w of Joseph MCPherson). Desire nams of desc.

14-1-40 Deaton, Jordan, Stewart, Jackson, Howell

Mrs. Bobbie Jones McLane, 112 Leach Street, Hot Springs Nat'l Park, Ark, seeks info on fol: Joseph Deaton, listed 1800 census Montgomery Co., NC, 26 to 45 years of age, and w Elisabeth Jordan. Was Elias Deaton listed in same census as 45 years or more, his f? Who were his ch? One s Basil Deaton, b ca 1788, m Barbara Stewart, dau John Stewart. Their s was Goodin Deaton, b 3 June 1814, Montgomery Co., NC, d 1 Nov 1902 Clark Co, Ark, m 27 Feb 1834 in Hardeman Co, Tenn, Lucinda Jackson b 1815 Ga, d 9 Mar 1866, Clark Co. Ark. Lucinda's mother's first name was Barbara. Goodin and Lucinda had fol ch b in Tenn: Barbara 1836; Enoch 1837-1863; Polly 1839-1858; Liza 1840-1847; Martin 1842-1886 m 18 Jan. 1860 Rhoda Elizabeth Howell dau Tilmon Howell; Elias 1843-1927; Elijah 1844-1847; Rachel 1846; John 1847; Martha Jane 1848. Fam mov to Clark Co Ark in 1849 where foll ch b: Nancy Ann 1850; Sarah 1851; Carrel 1853; Elizabeth 1856 and Catherine 1857-1874. Goodin Deaton m 2) Amanda E. (Malcolm) Williams 5 May 1867, by whom he had 5 ch: Patrick Henry 1868-1869; Alonzo Franklin, 1870-1943; Edora 1872-1959; Mary Luella 1875 and Susan Carrie 1896. I have a good deal of info on Deaton fam and will be more than glad to xch.

14-1-41 Beers, Fairchild, Uffoot

Mrs. B. H. Hadler, 5917 Myrtle Ave., Long Beach 5, Calif. Josiah Beers b 4 Sept 1752, Stratford, Conn. liv there until 1811, mov to Ithaca, N.Y. according to pension records. This record also states his b is recorded in the "family Bible I have at home." Would like to locate this Bible. He d 1842, bur Ithaca, NY cem, m 22 Fb 1777, Stratford, to Gloriana Fairchild. The Bennett family by Stephen Beers Bennett, published 1899, Pittston, Pa., traces this line partway, dwelling on the 4th and 5th generations, as follows; James 1, Anthony 2, Barnabas 3, Josiah 4 who m Elizabeth Uffoot, 1717 and had Nathan Barnabas, Josiah Jr., Wm., Samuel, Ruth, Stephen m Anna Benjamin, Tabitha, Abner m Hannah Beardsley. A notation states Josiah Jr. was ensign in 2nd Train Band of 4th Conn. Regt. The pension record of Josiah at head of this article gives this also as service record. So Josiah, Jr. could not have been Josiah son of Josiah and Elizabeth Uffoot but a grandson. But which of list of sons is his f? Most of fam mov to Danby, Tompkins Co., NY abt 1798. The fact Josiah of this article did not go until 1811, when he was nearly 60 years old, would imply he might have joined some of his ch. His known ch were Elizabeth b 1778 Sarah 1780 m Lemuel Sanford, Gloriana 1783 Fanny 1785, Isaac 1787, Mary Ann 1795. Any info on these people desired.

14-1-42 Keach

H. J. Baker, 1412 W. Main, Crawfordsville, Ind. offers $10.00 reward for first info abt p, gp of Rev. John R. Keach b March 1795 d 2 May 1826 at Mt. Sterling, Ky., m Hannah Meade. Ch: Leroy, Alexander, Louise, William, Harrison, Susan, Emily. May be of Md Keech fam.

14-1-43 Wools, Butts

Mrs. Donald E. Jordan, 516 N. Gladstone Ave., Indianapolis 1, Ind. Need p early fam data of Daniel and Elizabeth (Butts) Wools of Montgomery Co, Ky., 1800-1830 Clay Co., Ind, 1830-1862. Daniel Wools b 1779 Va.; Elizabeth Butts b 1786 Pa. or Ky. (Bible record and census) where in Va. did Wools fam live bef

1790? What relationship are Phillip Wools, Elizabeth Wools, Catharine Wools, and Christopher Wools given in Montgomery Co and Fayette Co, Ky, tax lists and censuses 1790-1830? According to Wools Bible, aniel's ch were John b 1807, Nancy b 1809, Susan, b 1810, Elijah b 1811, Leroy b 1812, Samuel M. b 1813, Edmund b Jan 1815, Elizabeth b Dec 1815, Daniel W b 1817, Christopher b 1818, Amos b 1820 and Katherine J. b 1822. In 1830 Daniel mov with several Montgomery Co., Ky., fam to Clay Co, Ind. Will xch all data. Have some data on ch.

14-1-44 Oliver, Adams, Eppes, May, Bendall, Myrick, Graves, Moore

Laurence B. Gardiner, 1863 Cowden Ave., Memphis, 4, Tenn. Will gladly xch info and am interested in any data reg anc or desc of Thomas Oliver 1742-1797 of Round Oak Plantation, Dinwiddie Co., Va., and w Mary 1747-1826. Need her maiden nm. Their ch: 1, Isaac Oliver, d 1824 Dinwiddie Co. Va., m 1) 1799 Lucy Myrick, m 2) Sarah (Eppes) Peterson. He had an only son by 1) m, Skipwith M. Oliver who m Julia Blount Graves; 2, Asa Oliver d Sussex Co Va, 1819 m 1799 Frances Myrick and had: Bookin M. Oliver, Peterson J. Oliver, and Lucy Edmunds Oliver m Richard Bendall; 3, Sarah (Oliver) May: need nm of h, d 1848 at Round Oak; 4, Martha Oliver, d unm at Round Oak after 1850; 5, Nancy (Oliver) Adams, d 1856 at Round Oak (need nm of h) their ch: Susan Adams m Robert Graves; Julia C. Adams m Ephraim I. Adams; Ann Maria Adams m William Alston Moore; John G. Adams; 6, Thomas A. Oliver d 1844 Chesterfield Co. Va; m Jane Clark (Thornton) Royal.

14-1-45 Zane

Mrs. Guy W. Martin, 359 East Tremont, Waverly, Ill., compiling history of Zane family of NJ, Pa., Ohio & WVa. William Zane was f of: 1, Col. Ebenezer Zane b 7 Oct, 1747 d 19 Nov 1811, Wheeling Va., m Eliz. McColloch b 30 Oct. 1748 d 17 Jan 1814, bur at Martins Ferry Ohio; 2, Jonathan Zane b 1749 d 1823 Wheeling, Va, m Hannah Mills, ch: Nancy Anne m 1808 John Miller, Cynthia m 1812 Daniel Zane-son of Ebenezer, Issaac m 1799 Mary Friench; Sally m 1818 Ezekiel Hildreth; Asa m Eliza--beth Whittaker; Benjamin m 1826 Fanny ?; Catherine m ? Green and ? Wells; Hannah m 1816 Benjamin Fawcett and ? Smith; 3, Silas Zane b ca 1848 m Rachel ? and Catherine Ryan; 4, Andrew Zane killed by Indians m Elizabeth Mills; 5, Isaac Zane b 1753 in Va d 1816, Zanesfield, Ohio, m 1769 to Princess Myeerah, dau of Tarhe; 6, Elizabeth (Betty) Zane, b, 1759 in Va d St. Clairsville, Ohio, bur Martins Ferry, Ohio, m 1) 1786 John Ephraim McLaughlin, m 2) to Jacob Clark. Desire to crspd with all Zane desc.

14-1-46 Luttrell

Mrs. J. J. Woods, Waverly, Illinois, seeks info on Luttrell fam of Ky and Ill. Compiling history of Luttrell fam. Richard Luttrell d 21 Aug 1815 Adair Co, Ky, m Nancy Rains? p of 10 ch: 1, Thomas b 1784 d 1841, Franklin, Ill., m 9 Apr 1808 Adair Co, Ky, to Tabitha Retherford, dau John Retherford (Rutherford). She m 2) Francis Petree. Ch: of Thomas: John Rutherford, Nancy A, Hiram, Armstrong. 2, Lott Luttrell b 8 Jun 1791 Ky, d 22 Sep 1862 Morgan Co, Ill, m Susannah Rutherford. 3, Joshua D. Luttrell m 28 May 1834 Morgan Co, Ill ,to Catharine Rutherford. 4, Daniel Luttrell. 5, Sarah Luttrell b 11 Mar 1794 d 7 Jul 1845 Franklin, Ill, m 4 Jan 1813 Adair Co, Ky, Francis Petree. 6, Nancy Luttrell m ? Johnson. 7, Liza Luttrell m ? Hughes. Ch: Mary, Liza, Emeline. 8, Susan Luttrell. 9, Caleb Luttrell. 10. ?.

14-1-47 Potter, Shaw, Smith

Mrs. Ruby Potter Valantine, 5100 Range View Ave., Los Angeles 42, Calif., wants info on Henry James Potter, b 19 Dec 1855 Pottawattamie Co, Iowa, son of Martin Potter and 3) w Mrs. Mary (Shaw) Smith. Henry m whom? when? where? and had Martin, Edwin C., Jarret Guy, George H., Benjamin, Nancy L., Mary S. and Caroline, b when? where? It is said Henry James Potter possibly lived Bonesteel, Gregory Co., S.D. Will xch data.

14-1-48 Bryant, Wright, Hawkins, Pope, Jarnagin, Witt, Jernigan

Mrs. William C. Trotter, Jr., 443 McAllister, Greenville, Miss. Needs 1. p dates and all possible info abt Thomas Bryant who received land grant in (old) Rappahannock Co Va in 1663 m abt 1664 Mary Wright, dau of Thomas Wright of (old) Rappahannock. Was Thomas Bryant the immigrant? Where was he from? What ship?, When? Was Thomas Wright the immigrant? Where was he from? Who was his wife, Mary? I welcome crspd and will xch data I have. 2. Who was Richard Hawkins who dau Elizabeth m abt 1665 Humphrey Pope I, of (old) Rappahannock and Westmoreland Cos., Va? Is he s of Admiral Sir Richard Hawkins, 1562-1622, who fought the Armada? If so, want proof of this. Want all info, dates, places, etc. welcome crspd on this fam and will xch what I have. 3. Who were p of Capt. Thomas Jarnagin, b Nov 1746 "on the Dan River", m in 1767 in Pittsylvania Co, Va, Mary Witt, and d 1804 at "Mount Harmony", his home in Jefferson Co, Tenn. How is he related to Jarnagin fam in Nansemond Co, Va? Is he desc from Immigrants John and Henry? If so, how? What is the connection with Jernigans in Johnson Co, NC and environs? One of his dau-m in Person Co. NC—was she visiting relatives? I want all possible info to clear up mystery of Capt. Thomas Jarnagin's anc. Welcome crspd and glady xch.

14-1-49 Howell, Kittrell, Bird, Ethel, Ballard, Holton, Bailey, Clayton

Mrs. Graham Fowler, 300 Barbara Lane, Chattanooga, Tenn, wants ancs of Hopkins Howell b 1801 in NC. Liv in Ga in 1850. His son, James H. Howell went to Texas ca 1869. Liv a few years in Ark bef that, woud like to know nm of co. He and w Martha and several ch were liv in Texas in 1870 in Cass Co. Where did James and Martha Howell d? Would like to know bur place. Their oldest dau Lydia Elizabeth m Johnson Kittrell. Where? Who were his p and from what state did they come? They liv in Cass Co Texas in 1870. 2 Also info on William Eward Bird (Ed, Eddie) b Mar. 11, 1886 at Batesville, Ark. His mor d in 1888 and his f d abt Oct 1885. Had Bird relatives by nams of "Jim" and Bertha Ethel. He m 1) Jennie Ballard and 2) Maude Holton, both at Sawyer, Oklahoma. What were nms of his p and from where did they come? 3 William M. Holton b ca 1820 in South Carolina. Who were his p and from which co was he from ? He m in Tenn 1843 Julie Ann Bailey, also b SC ca 1830. Does anyone know her p? Her sis, Henrietta J., b 1820, m ca 1838-39 Wm. Clayton, b Tenn ca 1818. Would like any info on this Wm. Clayton, p, bpl, etc. Have data on this fam and its several branches from above date up to present generation. Will xch.

14-1-50 Croft (Kraft, Groft)

Mrs. Lexie Roberts, 117 East Coates, Moberly, Mo., will xch data on Croft (Kraft) fam. Want all dates, as to b m and d of Conrad Croft (Kraft) b abt 1775 to 1790 and w Susanna b abt 1780 1790. Also p nms. Conrad Croft was sold in war 1812. Enlisting and returning to Franklin Co, Pa., in 1814. German descent. Have considerable data on this line, especially in York and Adams Co, Pa. Have deed and census records as to his res in Botetourt Co, Va from 1815 to 1840.

14-1-51 Carter, Arnold, Ramsey

Mrs. L. W. Ledgerwood, Jr., 519 South Huson, Tulsa 12, Okla., says Dr. George W(ashington?) Carter b 23 Dec 1800 SC. He liv as a young man somewhere in Tenn. He m 1) Nancy 4 Oct. 1821 and had 11 ch all b Tenn m 2) 8 Jul 1851 Nancy Emmaline Arnold, 4 Sep 1815 Tenn and shortly thereafter mov to Washington Co, Ark. All of his ch accompanied him to Ark except the three eldest dau who are thought to have been m and remained in Tenn. They were: Louisa Carter, b 14 Oct. 1822; Izibiah Carter b 19 Sep 1824 d 7 Jan 1861, m ? Ramsey; Naoma Carter 6 Jan. 1827. These dates taken from his notebook. Desire p of Dr. George W. Carter and Nancy Emmaline Arnold, bpl of each, where in Tenn they liv. Crspd invited.

14-1-52 Lott, Hambleton

Mrs. Ruth Lott Richmond, 136 East Ave., 37, Los Angeles 31, Calif., offers to pay for proof of p of James Lott, b Pa., and w Tasey , b Pa, whose son, Robert L. Lott, b 1805, Pa, d 1839 Bristol, Bucks Co, Pa, m 1828 in Germantown, Elizabeth Hambleton. 1807-1889; she bur Bensalem, Bucks Co., Pa. Have checked 1850, 1860 and 1880 census Bucks Co, Pa. Compiling Lott Genealogy. Will xch.

14-1-53 Mayes, Wilson, Hill, Mays, Mayze

Walter Wilson Mayes, 515 East Myrtle, Santa Ana, Calif., wants to know who were p of Henry Mayze, Mays, Mayes, d in Henry Co Va, in 1786; w name Phebey; what was her maiden nm; they

had s: Abraham, Sherrod, Littlebury, Liggin, Goodwin, David, Henry; dau Phebey Mayes, Susannah Hollandsworth, Fanny Solomon, Elizabeth Gossett; wnt p an ch of Samuel Wilson, b 23 Feb 1733 m Sarah Burk, (da James Burk) ca 1752 in Augusta Co, Va., liv there as late as 1802; their dau Mary Elizabeth b 1758 m John Lucas 1777; another dau Theodocia m Samuel Thompson 1796; also wnt data on Jonathan Hill, d Kershaw Co. S.C. vicinity, 1773; w was Margaret Hall, dau George Hall, of SC m Berkley Co. S.C. 1753; w of George Hall was Miriam Chinners, dau Thos. Chinners, St. John's Parish, Berkeley Co SC. Jonathan Hill had s Thomas, b 6 Dec 1758, same region; d in Caldwell Co Ky in 1837; wnt nme of w of Thomas Hill; was she Mary Harrison, dau of William Harrison of SC wnt nms of bros and sis of Thomas Hill.

14-1-54 Croft (Kraft-Kroff)

Mrs. Nan Croft Lewis, 516 South Morley St., Moberly, Mo., wnts info on Conrad Croft (Kraft) and w Susanna res in Botetourt Co Va from 1815 to 1830 acc to 1830 census. He was b abt 1785 w abt 1790. They had 4 ch John, David b 1812, Samuel and Susan b 1816. All in Pa exc Susan b in Botetourt Co Va. To complete lineage must have p Susanna maiden nm ,b, d and m dates. German extraction. Will xch info.

14-1-55 Spangenberg, Spiel, Shenkle, Neighbor, Headley

Mrs. Frances D. Hood, 910 West 39th Vancouver, Wash. John Augustus Spangenberg d 1787 and w Catharine Spiel, with several ch, came to America in 1753, and settled in Sussex Co, N.J. Their s, Frederick, b 1740 in Hanover, Germany, m 1) ca 1766, Susanna d 1788 dau of Henry and Eva Neighbor Schankel of German Valley, Morris Co, NJ. Their s Thomas (1775-1864) m 1798 Susanna Headley, 1779-1824 dau of Robert and Hannah Headley, of Washington, twp, Morris Co, NJ Want anc of John Spangenberg and w Catharine Spiel and their ch. Want all data on Henry Schankle and w Eva (?) Neighbor. Want all data on Robert Headley and w Hannah? Frederick Spangenberg m four times: wnt nms of last 3 wives and all of their ch.

14-1-56 Maire, Hackley, Spaulding

Mrs. Jean M. Marie, 2717 Ector Rd., N. Jacksonville 11, Fla. Needs info and will xch data on Maire fam came from France, settled in Neb in 1800s. Moved to St. Louis, Mo.; Hackley fam, liv in Ill. George W. d 1873. S Herbert d Green Co, Ill, 1942; William J. Spaulding, w Anna Stout, liv in Ill and Ind until 1920's.

14-1-57 Gum, Bailey, Shaub

Miss Douglas Hilts, 216 N. 23, Boise, Idaho wnts p and vital statistics of Elinor, wid of Norton Gum, m William Bailey 8 Sep 1793. They were in Rockingham co, Va. Also Henry Shaub who in 1792 bought land from Jacob Sigler in Shenandoah co, Va. Henry d in Rockingham co, Va, abt 1815-16. Want his p and dates of b and d.

14-1-58 Day, Tucker, Webber, Grover

Odlin H. Day, 753 Dennison Drive, Southbridge, Mass. Thomas Day, bapt 24 Aug 1712 in Gloucester, Mass., m 1) 11 Jul 1744 Sarah Tucker; m 2) Mary Webber of Manchester, Mass. at Manchester. Was in Georgetown, Maine in 1752. Thed had twin sons, Thomas and Samuel, 27 Nov. 1748 in Gloucester. Was the s the same Thomas who m Susanna Grover in Georgetown, Maine, 14 May 1771? Also, was this the same Thomas Day whose estate, in Ballstown (Jefferson) Maine, filed for probate Oct. 9, 1807, Lincoln Co, Maine, which was divided among widow Susan and heirs at law, presumed to be their ch: Thomas, Alpheus, Jacob, Elijah, Stephen, Lydia, Ebenezer, Elihu, Artemus or Susannah Sikes (heirs Polly Rollings and Jane Gliddon), Josiah and William? Would like any data of anc or desc of this fam.

14-1-59 Wooley, Howard, Hayward, Carter, Truesdale, Melton, Richards, Grizzle, Moore

Trella M. (Ebert) Hall, Box 227, Larned, Kansas, seeks data on p, bros, sis, of Valariah or Lydia Wooley, b 17 Mar 1737, where, d 25 Apr 1813, where, m ca 1756 Zephaniah Howard (Hayward) b Oct 1731 Amenia? NY (in Duchess Co, NY 1790 census) s of Mary? and William Howard (need data on them). A poss bro of Lydia or Valariah Wooley is Abel Wooley b 4 Dec 1734, d 11 Oct 1826, m Mary Carter b 18 Aug 1738, d 10 Dec 1816. Nms of ch common to both couples were Pontus, Lydia, Edward, John, Hannah and Elizabeth. If so who were p? Also need p of Margaret Truesdale b 3 Sept 1820 Va, d 1894 Macoupin Co Ill, m 22 Oct 1840 as 2) w (where) to Eliakim Howard b 3 Oct 1798 Pawling NY, d 24 Jun 1884 (where in Ill?) s of Sylvester Howard. There s Wm. Henry Howard b 14 Mar 1850 near Jacksonville, Ill, m 22 Dec 1877 where? Mary Alice Melton b 24 Jan 1859, where? dau of Wiley Jones Melton b 1 Apr 1811 or 7 Mar 1813, where in NC, d 23 Dec 1883, Lane, Kans, s of David Melton b ca 1770 WVa or NC, d 28 Jan 1815 and Barsheba ? d 28 May 1818, need data and p of both. Wiley J. Melton m1) 3 Sep 1835 Rebecca Richards b 11 Jul 1817, where, d 14 Nov 1848 after b of 6th ch, who were her p? m 2) 8 Sep 1853 where Tabitha Grizzle b 4 or 8 Jul 1828 where, d 9 Dec 1869 where her p? Known ch of Barsheba and David Melton besides Wiley Jones Melton: Elizabeth b 19 Mar 1792, Temperance b 17 Dec 1795, John b 2 Feb 1798, Demaris b 15 Mar 1800, Martin b 7 Apr. 1802, d Jan 1871; Sarah b 17 Dec 1808, d 6 Jul 1883, m? Moore, and David b 1 Apr 1811 or 7 Mar 1813 qv Wiley Jones. Will appreciate more data on these and p of Barsheba ? and David Melton b ca 1770. It may be David's p were David Welton m 1765 Goodland Co Va, (Douglas Register) to Constance Hog. Is this David the one who left will in Surry Co NC (Old's Abstracts of NC Wills) d 1787, w Connie, ch: David and John. My David Melton was unm in 1790 census Stokes Co, NC, 1st ch b 1792, so was m betw these two dates, where?

14-1-60 McCauley, McConnville, McCouliff, Duncan, Gloyd

Mrs. Oleva H. Swezey, 1456 West 90th Place, Los Angeles 47, Calif., wants any kind of info conc John McCauley, (CW Records had spelling McConnville, McCouliff and McCauley, which is the only one we ever knew) b Ireland, Aug 1833, mor nm Alice, 2 sis, one nm Mary, in Ireland, old bro James came to NY. John worked as cabin boy to pay passage to U.S. Census record state: Citizenship Papers taken out; year of immi- 1853. Where not told. Liv Calif 1853 to 1863 joining Union Army in Sacramento, nmed Daniel Clancy his representative, care of Mrs. Kelly, San Francisco. Enlisted Nov. 11, 1863, Co. M, by Cap't Witharm, term 3 years, discharged at Albuquerque, New Mexico. Drum Barracks, Calif., and Camp Merchant, both mentioned. He m in Hamilton, Texas, 1876, Susan Amanda Gloyd, b Mo, 19 Nov 1843. Ch: Rosa Lee, b 4 Jul 1877, m Edgar Bennett Hurd, Mo.; Willie b 1878, Russell b 1879, both dying in infancy; Alice Jane b 8 Dec 1884 m Arthur Brisendine, Mo. Census records give Coryell, Texas in 1880, Pension records give Fort Scott, Kansas, 1898, Census 1900 give Indian Territory, Vinita, Oklahoma, where he d in 1902. Susan Amanda Gloyd was dau of Daniel Jerome Gloyd, b 28 Oct 1815, and Jayne Hall Duncan, b 30 Jan 1818, m 24 Nov. 1842. Jayne Hall Duncan was dau of Charles Duncan, b 1755, d 1844 and Susan Camden Duncan d 1853. Charles was s of John Duncan, who with 2 bro, Tandy and George, came to Amherst Va., from Glasgow, Scotland. John m Jayne Hall in Va. No dates.

14-1-61 Fleming, Gilhowsen

Mrs. Eleanor W. Healey, 201 North 13th St., Norfolk, Nebr., wishes to xch data on Lawrence Fleming, b abt 1831 in Pa (p b in NJ acc to 1880 Nebr census) m 1) a Miss Gilhowsen who d 1861 m 2) bef 1870-1 Adaline? His ch were James Carl b 1856, Franklin (town or county?) Pa; Alice R., b 1858 Pa; Grettie b 1871 m C. V. Mannatt; Albert L. b 1874 Howard Co Nebr.

14-1-62 Gaw, Miller, Rinker, Keller, Newman, Pennybacker

Grace Gaw, 102 S. Third Ave., Cleveland ,Miss, says she has had so many queries as to the name GAW that I wish to tell what I know of its origin. The Irish Ancestry Guild of Dublin says it is of Celtic origin and had been known in Ireland since 900 AD Mag Rait, Mag Grath, Mac Gragh and later Mac Graw, Mac Gaw. I have a limited number of sheets copied from their reports for exchange.

A ms book, presented to me by the late Institute of American Genealogy upon its closing, written by Danl. F. M. McGraw, OdG., and entitled The History of the clan Magragh, gives the ancestry for several generations of Bishop Miler Magragh of the Church of Rome and later of the Church of England in the time of Queen Elizabeth I. His wife was Ann O'Meara; of nine children James also married an Ann O'Meara, niece of

the first. Both of these reports suggest that the McGaws of Enniskillen, Fermanagh are desc of this family. James, John and Robert McGaw left Enniskillen 1780, Robert "in his seventeenth year". They were sons of Sarah (Miles) McGaw. A ship-wrecked ch who couldn't yet talk when rescued from the shores of Lough Erne by young McGaw, about ten. A ms family history by a son of Elizabeth (Gaw) Crawford dau of Robert. the immigrant, tells of the rescue, and that "Sarah Miles" was embroidered on her dress of fine linen. Efforts to locate her kin failed; the boy took her home to his mor, who reared her. Later Sarah and her rescuer married, had the three sons and a daughter Mary. Sarah died before her sons came to America, leaving their father and Mary in Enniskillen. I have learned that Lough Erne is in two parts, very large lakes, and excursion boots travel on them as on our Great Lakes. The town lies between them. James Gaw was a merchant in Philadelphia. I want data on his ch and desc; John and Robert were in Pa for a few years and by 1791 were in Shenandoah Co., Va. and bought land at Woodstock. John and later Robert liv on the "Brubaker Farm", now in town, and once called "Runnymede" while the Crawfords, mentioned above, liv there. It was burned by northern troops. Robert's town house still stands. John went west with his w, Mary Miller, and some of his seven ch to Mo., and d in Howard Co. Ch m Knoxes, Payne, Boggs and Melody; had son Philip Miller Gaw. I want data on them. Robert in 1796 m Barbara Rinker, dau of Col. Jacob Rinker ,Jr., RW and Braddock's campaign, and w Mary Keller. Robert's sons were Joseph ((Louisa, Ky.) John (Alton, Ill.), Jacob Rinker and Robert Philip, a mute. Jacob m Sarah Catherine Newman, dau of Walter Newman III and Charlotte Pennybacker of Liberty Furnace in 1838. I have all desc of the last couple, my g gp. I own the Bible of Robert Gaw, who dropped his "Mc" because he did not want to be considered Scots. To the first person who can send me more of the family in Enniskillen, including Robert's father's nm, and generations just before him, I shall send a typed copy of ms from the Institute. I have two such copies only. Data on p of Sarah Miles will get the other.

14-1-63 Patterson, Bayless, Denmead, Johnson, Orth, Johnston

Mrs. Kingston Smallhouse, 140 Camino Espanol, Tucson, Arizona, wants p, anc relatives and nm of 1) w of Judge John Stuart Patterson, b 10 Apr 1807, Fayette Co Pa, who went to Somerset, Perry Co, Ohio and then for 50 years liv in Steubenville, Jefferson Co, Ohio, where he d 6 Nov 1880? Ch all b in Ohio were Elizabeth (Lizzie) W. 1834—1 Sep 1852; Margaret Ann (Mrs. Wm. H. Bayless) b in Steubenville 19 Aug 1836, d 25 May 1902 Tucson, Arizona; Amanda Melissa 1838—4 Mar 1872 (wife of paymaster on the CC & JC division of the Panhandle line, Edwin Denmead); James J. (clerk in Paymaster General's Dept., Washington City 1862, Assistant Librarian in War Dept., drowned in Baltimore, Md., 24 Aug 1869); Martha E. 1842 (wife of civil engineer Tom Johnson) and Earnistine O. b 1842, prob dau of 2) (?) w Catherine J. Orth, sis or rel of Geo and w Martha Orth of Pittsburg. Want nm of Patterson's w, she was mor of his dau, Margaret Ann. Believe she was Margaret Johnston, d 16 Nov 1850, from a brain tumor and whose mortality schedule gives as born Pa, but d record of Margaret Ann P, Bayless gives bpl of her mor as Ohio. John Stuart Patterson when of Steubenville was a merchant, insurance salesman, Editor and Publisher with James Scott of the American Union, Justice of the Peace, Probate Judge, U.S. Commissioner Clerk of Court, Board of Education, Clerk in War Department in 1864, Treasurer of First Preby. Church, Treasurer and Secretary of Union Cemetery Assn, a Democrat and of Scotch-Irish descent (both p b Pa.) J. S. Patterson's f prob was James Patterson (Sr.) who was a voter in Perry Co, Ohio, in 1816/17, a Representative to the State legislature, publ and prob owner of Perry Record 1825-29, and Treasurer of Perry Co. from its establishment and for many years thereafter. Need proof. If given, wnt nme of James Sr's, w and his p. A James McCrea Patterson was uncle of Margaret Ann Patterson, as was an Ephraim Johnston. J. S. Patterson was close friend of Sec. of War Stanton, the fighting McCooks, of General Samuel Stokley and his s Mont, of Scott, Lewis and Dr. C. C. Beatty fam. Dau Margaret Ann graduate of Dr. Beatty's Female Academy and in 1858 became teacher to Rev. Samuel Irvin's Presbyterian Indian Mission in Highland, Kansas. There met and m Wm. Henry Bayless, who in 1870, suffering from asthma went to Tombstone, Arizona, so beginning winter sojurns in that state, where in 1884, with the aid of his son Charles Henry, he established the Bayless & Berkalew Cattle Company (which to this day operates in hands of his descendants) and where in 1898 his w, Margaret Ann Patterson, and their younger s, John Stuart, joined him, there to make their home until each, in turn, d. Wish to correspond with desc or rel of Patterson (?-Johnston-Orth) fam.

14-1-64 HALFHILL, York

Mrs. J. H. Miller, Minnesota Lake Hotel, Minnesota Lake, Minn, wants info on Halfhill and York fam. Mandeville Halfhill, acc to trad, came with a bro from Quebec, Canada, to US. A Directory of Hendricks Co., Ind., says Mandeville b in Canada in 1812, and settled in Hendricks Co Ind in 1860. One Census lists him as b in Ohio. Acc to fam history, his bro went on West and was not heard from again. Mandeville m in Morgan Co Ind. 12 Feb 1840 to Rosanna York. They resided in Gosport, Ind. bef mov to Hendricks Co Ind where both d in the 1880s. Rosanna York Halfhill b in NC and later came to Ind. She was nmed as a co-heir in Will of Henry York in 1850 in Morgan Co, Ind,. together with Jeremiah York. We have been unable to establish relationship bet Henry York, Jeremiah York and Rosanna York Halfhill, and do not know nm of her p, which info we would like very much to have. Mandeville Halfhill and Rosanna York Halfhill had 4 s and 1 dau: (1) John Halfhill, b abt 1843, served in Co. G, 99th Ind. Inf., CW m twice 1) Hannah E. Turner, 2) Annie ? He liv for some years in Douglas Co., Kansas, then returned to Ind., liv in Terre Haute, where he was later killed by a train. (2) Nancy Halfhill, b in 1848, died in 1910 in Ind, m 1) 25 Dec 1864 William Larimore, m 2) Shannon Rector. (3) Duff Green Halfhill 27 Oct. 1850, d 8 Apr 1934, m 1) Victoria Ann Plummer m 2) Lucy O'Brien. (4) Lester Fisk Halfhill, b in 1851 in Gosport, Indiana, and d Sept. 1, 1936, mar 1st Harriet Bartholomew Jan. 19, 1876, who was born in 1847, and died in 1879, and he mar 2) Emma Hopwood, who was b in 1864 and d in 1923 (5) Eric Bloom Halfhill, m 1) in 1881 Alice E. Leachman, m 2) in 1888 Anna Scott, who died in 1890, and m 3) in 1892 Ellen Rushton. We would greatly appreciate hearing from all Halfhills and their desc as well as those having info on the York line.

14-1-65 Booth, Brown, Hopkins, Kinney, McPeek

Mrs. Leslie Ferrell, 1452 E. Flower St., Phoenix, Arizona. Martin Booth and Eliza Kinney Booth were m at Branchville, NJ, Oct 1828 by Elder Dandy. They had nine ch: Jane (Wilcox), William Booth m Jane Culver, James, Nathan, m Chloe Bismaid, Hannah Elizabeth (Sandwich), Mary (Cass), Richard Townley m Mary Durling, Desdemona (Reynolds), John m Maggie ? Bpl of the first 4 ch unknown. Others b at Moravia, Cayuga Co., NY Martin Booth d 5 Apr 1891 at Dryden, Tompkins Co., NY. His d cer gives his p as John and Susan ? and bpl as NJ. Eliza Kinney Booth d 23 Mar 1892 at Dryden, NY. Her d cert gives her p as John Kinney and Hulda Elizabeth Brown, and bpl, NJ. Tradition says John Kinney left his 3 wks old baby Eliza and his w Hulda with her bro Rev. Lewis Brown. He joined a prairie schooner and went "west". He later m and had other ch. Sometime later his w, Hulda Kinney, also rem. This time a man by nm of Joseph McPeek. They also went "west." Their small son, Elmer ,is said to have been stolen by Indians. The story ends there. The p of Hulda Elizabeth Brown, mor of Eliza Kinney, are given as Charles (Lewis?) Brown and Elizabeth Hopkins. I would appreciate any info re these fam, Booth, Brown, Hopkins, Kinney and McPeek.

14-1-66 Campbell, Allen, DeLong, Prior, Barnes, Clark

Virginia Beebe Barnes, Lake Tuscarora, Erieville, N.Y. Dr. John Campbell b ? m Agnes Allen. Their s was Capt. Moses Campbell b 1737, Voluntown, Conn. Who were her p? Was

she b in England or Voluntown? Rosanna DeLong b 1808 m Lyman Prior in Norwich Corners Town of Paris, NY. She d there 1840. Who were her p? Sarah Barnes b 1857, prob Canada (?) one of eight ch, Joshua, Martha, Jack, Joseph, Mary Ann, Julia, Alice. Who were her p? She m a cousin, John D. Barnes. They are believed to have liv near Orillia, Ontario, early in m life, later mov to St. Joseph, Mich. John D. f William m Margaret Clark in Esquesin (?) Canada. Who were his p and where were they from? William m twice, and 2) w was ? Kennedy.

14-1-67 Lunt, Shepherd, Rogers, Powell, Bailey

Mrs. Mary G. Grunder, Box 333 Route 4 Boise, Idaho. Wants p of Jane Lunt b 5 Dec 1795, d 17 May 1847 of Southampton, Hamps, Eng. Lunt may or may not have been her maiden nm. She m a Mr. Shepherd and on 26 Aug 1821 at St. Mary's Southampton, Hamps, Eng, m George Augustus Rogers. Ch: Jane, Robert and George, twins; Sarah, Henry, Elizabeth Jane, Martha, Frederick and Alfred. Sarah m 16 Sept 1845 Charles Powell, Elizabeth Jane m John Worlock Shepherd, Frederick m Emma Eliza Shepherd. P of Elizabeth Bailey, b 1751, d 2 Mar 1823 of Nursling, Hamps, Eng., m Thomas Powell 18 Oct 1771 Nursling, Hamps, Eng. Ch: Elizabeth, Thomas, Thomas, William, George, James, Martha, John, Mary, Charles, Edmund, George.

14-1-68 House, Cole, Burk

Mrs. Florence Manderscheid, Fredonia, Kansas, wnts p of this couple, Elias House, b in Va in 1807, m in either Ky or Va Rachel Cole, b in Ky in 1808. This couple mig to Decatur co, Ind and had ch: Emily Jane m a Methodist minister, Gibson Burk; William, Silas, Elizabeth, Allen, Mary, Margaret, Sarah and Nancy all b bet 1833 and 1847. I would like to hear from anyone with any info at all conc this fam.

14-1-69 Quackenbush

Mrs. Laura Thorson Box 332, Clinton, Wisc. Wants maiden nm of Elisabeth, w of John Quackenbush? They were p of a Polly (Maria) b 20 Sep 1811, as recorded in Dutch Reformed Church of Fort Plain, Minden, Montgomery Co, NY.

14-1-70 Story, Mullins, Brooks

Annie Belle Story Breckenridge Rt. 4, Box 1046 F Miami, 43, Fla. Wants the nms of p of Larkin B. Story and w Sarah Mullins. From 1850 US census, Russell Co. Ala., 544 Larkin B. Story ae 30, b Mo. 1820, Sarah ae 30, b Ga. Ch: John Story, ae 10, b Ga. 1840; Marion Story (boy) ae 8 b Ala. 1842; Synthia Story ae 6, b Ala 1844; Samantha Story ae 4, b Ala 1846; Nancy Story ae 2, b Ala 1848; Mary Story ae four and a half months. From Harris Co m records, page 15: Larkin B. Story to Sarah Mullins 3 Mar 1838. Can anyone inform me who any of the above ch m? And where liv? Thomas Tillman Story b in Warren Co Ga abt 1810. His f Solomon Story b 1760 in Conn, m Phebe Ann Brooks b 1763. Solomon mov to Jackson, Mo., when Thomas Tillman Story was abt 3 months old. Thomas Tillman Story had s Larkin Brooks Story, moving back to Ga., 15 years later. If dates are correct when above T. T. was b he could not be the f of above Larkin Story. Will some of you seekers in Genetics please get me straightened out on the above problem?

14-1-71 (Van) Wert or Wirt ,Eadaburn, Gilmore, Sankey, Hudson, Mostiller, Shannon, Irving, Gundy

Mrs. Olive R. Imhof, 1486 Edgehill Ave., Dormont, Pittsburgh 16, Pa. Wnt contact desc. Peter Wirt b Carlisle 1793 m Margaret Eadaburn, dau Wm. and Betsy (Gilmore) Eadaburn or Ettenburg of W. Middlesex, Mercer Co. Pa. Liv Briar Hill now part Youngstown, O. Had ch: Wm. 1826-1915 builder, w Eliza Sankey, p of Hon. Benj. Wirt of Youngstown b 1852; Elizabeth m Mostiller of Middlesex, Pa; Sarah m Wm Shannon; Josiah Wirt, Youngstown; Jenny m James Irving, Fredonia, NY; Angeline m R. E. Gundy of W. Middlesex; John P. Briar Hill; Emma L. (Data from Hist. Mahoning & Trumbull Cos., Ohio, Peter Wirt, s of Peter Wirt, RW sold near Carlisle. Want ch of Peter Sr.

14-1-72 Bonds, Holly

James Dudley Bonds, Route I, Box 480, Atascadero, Calif., wants info on his anc, espec p of his gf Richard Wyatt Bonds b 11 Mar 1842 in Miss, m 5 Aug 1863 Jane Elizabeth Holly, b 10 Aug 1848, prob in Ark, d 14 Aug 1912 at Fairbanks, Ark. Richard Wyatt Bonds d 26 May 1921 at Ada, Okla. They had twelve ch: Ruben Carrol, Minerva E., Dove E., William P., Julia Ann, Elle Vernell, James Mernello, Nora Betherla, Holly Wildon, Johnny Martin, Elvie Paul, Carl Franklin, all b at Quitman, Claiborne Co, Kansas. Is the nm Bonds and Bond the same in any records? Does anyone know of it ever being used interchangeably? I will appreciate any correspondence from anyone on this nm.

14-1-73 Hemsworth, Campbell, Watson, Tailor, Burnside, Peppen, Norbury, McKeen, Swan, Appold, Burgess, Fisher, Knox, Gilmour, Boget, Birckhead Buckhead, Odenbach

Mrs. Tacy N. Campbell, 609 W 40th Street, Baltimore 11, Maryland. Capt. William Hemsworth, b ca 1755, England, dau Lady Lydia Hemsworth m Ross Campbell; they liv near Belfast, Ireland, he d Jan 1844, their dau Maria m William Watson liv in London, England, 2 daus Emily m Charles Watson, Eliza m Wesley Watson—they were brothers and their first cousin, Eliza Watson liv in London d abt 1936. Another dau, Maria m William Tailer. The Charles Watson had a s Charles Everd Watson m Maude Burnside. A s Robert Watson m Marian Peppen (he grandson of Maria and Wm. Watson). Norbury fam York, Delaware, Chester Cos, Pa. McKeen, York Co. Adams Co., Lancaster and Chester Cos., early, info 1715-1770 Wm. Thomas, John, Alexander and Hugh. Matthew Swan 1743-1795 b ? d Baltimore m Ann McKeen (McCain, McKean) Appold, Maryland, Pa . (Obbold, Uphold, Obhold, etc) Maryland 1780 (in) Burgess, Joseph & Deborah (Fisher) Bucks Co. Maryland Virginia she d Fairfield, Ohio 1822. Samuel Knox b Ireland 1751 m Grace Gilmour abt 1775, Uncle the Reformer John Knox. Want p of both. Info on Boget, Birckhead, Buckhead fam in Md 1792 dau Elizabeth m George Appold, Baltimore 1815/16. Andrew Appold b abt 1755 m Elizabeth Odenbach in Baltimore 1789, she d 1799, he d 1818 Baltimore.

14-1-74 Halsell, Bullard, Blake, Robertson ,Underwood, Pearcy, Wright, Thrasher, Rowe, Wheeler, Duke, Jones, Halligan, Atkins, Blake, Nicholson, Adams, Ratliff, Musgrove, Fowler, Tate

Mrs. Frank Cline, 914 Summer St., Hot Springs, Ark., wants to know which Mr. Halsell b NC abt 1800 m Miss Bullard and had fol ch: Vina Elizabeth b c1832 m Noah Blake; Lizy m Mr. Robertson; Nancy Jane; Mary Ann b 13 Feb 1837 and m c 1868 John D. Underwood; Jamima Lovacie b c 1842 m 1) Will Pearcy m 2) Jim Wright; Wm. L. m Mollie Underwood, Thrasher; Reason Edd Halsell b 8 Nov 1844 poss in Panola Co Miss. m 1) Elizabeth Rowe m 2) Virginia Wheeler; Mr. Halsell m 2) who? had issue: Sarah b 26 Jan 1847 m John Duke; Mellissie b c1853 m James L. Jones; Rosie b 30 Sep 1855 m Criss Halligan: Lewis Benjamin b 21 Sep 1858 m 1) Miss Halligan 2) Mary Ella Atkins. Fam liv in Miss ca 1840 to 1860 and in Star City, Ark after 1865. Halsell may have been spelled Hallsey bef 1800. Anyone nmed Halsell please contact me and maybe we can form a fam assn. I have a lot of Halsell info. Also proof that Jack and Elizabeth (Nicholson) Adams of Edgefield Dist., SC were p of John J. b 1820; Barclay M. b 1 Mar 1824 and Mary b 1827 m 1845 to Thomas Ratliff. These three were in 1850 census of Blount Co., Ala. Were there more ch? The boys m sisters, daus of Wm. Henry Musgrove and Sarah Fowler. Owens History of Ala., says Wm. H. f was John William Musgrove, but a f bible states his f to be W. G.? both agree mother to be Nancy Tate. Can anyone help me prove which is correct? Sarah's p were Rev. John and Lucy ? Fowler. I have accumulated a lot of Musgrove info and will gladly xch with anyone.

14-1-75 Hanson, Martin, Staughton

Mrs. Neil M. Romeo, 22701 Millenbach, St. Clair Shores, Mich wants info on Maria Hanson, b England 1763, (mor, Mrs. Dr. Martin, liv at Bromsgrove in 1806), m Baptist Minister William Staughton, Charleston, SC, autumn 1793. (Did she come across on same ship or was she here first? Who was her 1) h ? Hanson?) d January 10, 1823, Philadelphia. Four ch: William Hinton Staughton b 1798 d 1799; James M. Staughton b 1800 d 1833 m Louisa ?; Leonora Maria Staughton b? d? m Samuel W. Lynd 1823; Elizabeth Ann Staughton b ? d ? m John Taylor Temple 1824.

14-1-76 Paisley, Woodberry, Dunnam, Donnam, Godwin, Mefford, Easley

Mrs. Walter Havens, 1400 Sycamore, North Little Rock, Ark., wants to know

abt Thomas Paisley in 1790 census of SC. Was he in RW? Who were his p? One dau believed to be Margaret, m Collins Woodberry by 1812 and mov to Gadsden Co Fla by 1830. Collins was a Methodist minister and believed he organized the first Methodist Church in Fla. Was Elizabeth, w of Jonah Woodberry in 1790 census of SC a Dunnam (Donnam). If so, who were her p? Her will dated 1817 and proved 1827 mentions "my son Collins Woodberry" and grandson John Peter Dunnam. Wants p of Peter Godwin and w Mary Mefford, said to be of Fincastle, Va. They m by 1800 and mov to Grainger Co, Tenn by 1812. First ch b in Va. One was Jacob Godwin b 1805, m in Grainger Co, Tenn, 21 Sep 1829 Caroline Easley ,dau Warham Easley Who were p of Warham who it is believed, also came from Va?

14-1-77 McGraudy, McGrady, Thompson

Mrs. Marion M. Thompson, 428 Green St. Place, Gainesville, Ga., wnts info on any McGraudy or McGrady Ireland to America. Elizabeth McGraudy m Hugh ? Thompson, Co Tyrone, 1719. Wid and 4 s came to Bucks Co, Pa, 1740. Where did the McGraudy and Thompson fam liv in Ireland? Did either fam come to Ireland from Scotland? Want p and fam of both. Have data on Thompson line from 1740 and will crsnd with any one interested.

14-1-78 Doolin, Dulin, Elgin

Mrs. Frank M. Stewart, 908 Malcolm Ave., Los Angeles 24, wants anc and desc of James Doolin m 1) ca 1776 Nancy Elgin prob in Loudoun Co Va. He b 9 May 1755 prob Stafford Co Va, went to Pulaski Co Ky bef 1800 where he d 1814. He m 2) Mary ? His ch: Elizabeth, Charles, Cornelius, Daniel, Catherine, Benjamin, James, Nancy, William, John, Thomas and Johnson, although not necessarily in that order nor which were ch of 1) or 2) w.

14-1-79 Brown, Dumbauld, Sprankle, Hendricks, Farrell

Mrs. Robert M. Brown, 2208 Kenwood Blvd., Toledo 6 ,Ohio, is having diff tracing Brown fam and would apprec any crspd to help her. Our gggf John Brown, b unknown, d 1837/38, came to Tuscarawas Co, Ohio from Westmore-Co, Pa., with his f name unknown, ca early 1800's. History of Tuscarawas Co, Ohio mentions a Joseph Brown as being one of its earliest settlers, perhaps he is f of our John Brown. Gggf John Brown m Elizabeth Dumbauld, b 29 Mar 1811, d unknown, who came to Ohio with her br-in-law Robert Ramsey and sis Catherine (Dumbauld) Ramsey from Fayette Co, Pa., Elizabeth's and Catherine's f was Philip Dumbauld. John and Elizabeth (Dumbauld) Brown's ch were Robert, Joseph, John and Sarah. Robert b Tuscarawas Co Ohio, 22 Mar 1832, d 9 Mar 1913, m Elizabeth Sprankle, b 1837, d 18 Nov 1899, mov to Ind 1858, served Union Army in CW. Robert was 5 years of age when his f d and his mother Elizabeth (Dumbauld) Brown m 2) Gabriel Weimer, and mov to Sugar Creek twp, Stark Co., Ohio. Robert's son, Milton Brown was our gf, b in Tuscarawas or Stark Co., Ohio 27 Feb 1851, m Melissa Hendrix or Hendricks or Hendrickx, from Covingtin, Ind, b 22 Jan 1857 and d 15 June 1914. Melissa's p were Dave and Ella (Farrell or Ferrell) Hendricks. I need nms of p: John Brown, Elizabeth Dumbauld, Elizabeth Sprankle or Sprinkle, Dave Hendricks, Hendrix or Hendrickx, Ella Farrell or Ferrell, also dates of b and d.

14-1-80 Hitchcock, Blodgett, Elwood

Charles Bradford Elwood, 648 S. Lexington Parkway St. Paul 2, Minn., says the 1810 census records at Pompey, NY one Sama Hitchcock (modern "Sammy") 26-45, w 26-45, a girl over 10, 3 girls under 10 and a boy under 10. Fam not there in 1820. As his f was in Pompey in 1809 (Justice Court record) and because of spelling of his given nam, it is plain that Sama was the son of Eliab 5 and Hannah (Blodgett) Hitchcock of Monson, Mass. Sama, their oldest son, at Stafford, Conn. (whence the Blodgetts) 26 Oct. 1777 the fam liv at Monson. Bet 1780 and 1790 they mov to Coxsackie, NY and prob just after 1800 to Pompey, Onondaga, Co, NY where my ggm Abigail Hitchcock was b 15 Mar 1802, being 16 when she m James Chapman Elwood 5 Feb 1818. He was of Scipio, Cayuga Co, NY., they liv in Brutus Twp., Cayuga Co., Nunda, Livingston Co., NY and Lenawee Co, Mich. had 15 ch, Abigail d 13 Sept 1873. Desired are maiden nm and p of Sama's w and nms of ch, plus her data and place of m. Also what became of Eliab and w.

14-1-81 May, Young, Dunlap, Kiner

Mrs. Kathryn V. Turner, 47 Birch Lane, San Jose, 27, Calif. wishes info on p, time and place of b of Fountain (Henry or Jacob) May and w Virginia Young. (Some think Fountain's 2) nm Henry, some think Jacob). The liv Augusta Co, Va in 1850, when twin sons John Elmer and Jacob b 10 Sep 1850. Other ch may have been here. Fam mov to Ill for two years and on to Sullivan Co, Mo., 1859. Other ch were James, S. A. (Gus), Hester, Neal and William Garland. William Garland, the youngest, b in Sullivan Co Mo Jun 1860. Fountain May enlisted in army in 1861, taken prisoner at Battle of Shiloh, and d in Andersonville prison, 1862. Virginia d 10 Jul 1900. Two bros of Fountain May who made trip to Mo with fam went on to Oregon, nms unknown. Two bros and two sis of Virginia Young May, also mov with group. Nms of the bros unknown, sup to have gone to Texas. The sis Ann, m Tom Dunlap, and Hester, m Mr. Kiner, liv in sou Mo. Can anyone help?

14-1-82 Dean, Pratt, Wright, Bennett

Mrs. Fenton E. Bootes, Rt. 1, Middlesex, N.Y. desires p of Lucy Dean, b May 1770, east of Hudson River, d Sep 1848 Barrington, Yates Co NY m 1) 1796, Abijah Pratt 1754-1803, son of Daniel and Mary (Watrous) Pratt; one son only John Pratt b 23 Mar 1797, Dutchess Co, NY, d 25 Apr 1878 Lucy Dean m 2) Ephraim Wright and mov Barrington, Yates Co, NY, abt 1815. Did above Lucy Dean m 3) Dr. William Bennett, a surgeon, Cayuga Co., NY 1804? Was she dau of Benjamin and Zilpha (Harrington) Dean of Dutchess Co., NY? Lucy (Dean) Bennett one of children named in will of above Benjamin Dean, probated 19 Nov 1815. Ref; The Pratt Fam by Walter W. Pratt, Military Records of NY, Surrogates Records, Ontario Co, NY, Yates Co. History.

Anc w's nm and data of ch in will of Jonathan Dean d 1827, Jerusalem, Ontario NY, heirs nmd: Nancy Dean, wid, Amelia Dean, Cyrus Dean, Perry Dean, John Dean, Jepe? (Jesse?) Dean, Francis Dean Richard Dean and Ezra Dean, ch of onathan and Nancy Dean. Would like to crspd with desc of Lucy Dean, Jonathan Dean. Ref: Ont. Co. NY. Records.

14-1-83 Porter, Zachariah, Zackary, Bartlett

Mrs. Ibel A. Hope, 229 E. Magnolia, Apt. No. 7, Louisville 8, Ky., wnts to known p of ggm Amanda F. Porter b 1809 either what was then Va, or now Tenn, m 1) Elisha Zachariah or Zackary in 1825/26. He d one year later. She then m my ggf Joseph S. Bartlett 12 Mar 1828, in Williamson Co, Tenn. I know four s b to them while they liv in Tenn, also two girls that I have not been able to get any info as to what became of them. Fam mov to Johnson Co, Ark., some time prev to 1850 as another s b in Ark abt 1850. They are said to have had nine ch but I have proof only of six. Amanda Porter was said to be rel to Noah Porter in a Colonial State in 1811 but I can find no connection. All data on this Porter fam wanted. Amanda Porter Bartlett d in Poplar Bluff, Mo. in 1866.

14-1-84 Drake, Potter, Sargent, Keegans

Mrs. Leora Wilson Drake, town historian, 60 Russell St., Canisteo, NY. desires p, m & d date and other info on Asa Drake, b 1 Sep 1792, according to local histories, in NJ, acc to 1855 Census in Orange Co, NY, and his w Phoebe Potter b 7 May 1799 in Orange Co, NY, acc to 1855 Census, in Seneca Co NY, acc to 1865 Census. They came to Howard, Steuben Co, NY in 1822 acc to fam records, in 1824 acc to Robert's History of Steuben Co, NY, published in 1891. Ch of Asa and Phoebe Potter Drake: Betsey b 1819, d 1821; William b 16 Dec 1820 Yates Co, NY; John Ayers b 24 Sep 1822; James Potter b 6 Jun 1824, d ca 1890 Ord, Nebr; Peter b 14 Aug 1826 Steubem Co, NY; Elias b 25 Aug 1828, Steuben Co, NY, d in Army; Permelia b 10 Jun 1830; Phebe b 9 Jun 1834; Louisa b 1830 (1865 Census), m ? Keegans; Sally d unm; Julia b 20 Jun 1832; Ellen b, acc to 1855 Census, 26 Jan 1837, acc to 1865 Census, 1844; Ebert b 29 Apr 1839, d 1841. James Potter Drake was my h's ggf and m ca 1850/51 Susanna Sargent of Jasper NY. Poebe Potter Drake had a sis, Sally, b 1810 Seneca Co, NY. Peter Drake, bro of Asa Drake b ca 1787/89 NJ, came to

Jasper, Steuben Co, NY in 1829, ae 61 yrs by 1850 Census, m in NJ Rhumahama Russell b 1791 in NJ. Peter d 1852, ae 65 yrs acc to Clayton's History of Steuben Co, NY; Rhumahama d 1851, ae 60 yrs. 7 ch order of b unknown: Allen b 3 Nov 1810 NJ, d 27 Feb 1884 Jasper NY; Sidney, two daus b Benton, Yates, NY, one dau b Jasper, NY, one of these was Harriett m David Dennis, they liv Canisteo, NY, by 1850 Census. Ayers b 1819 Benton, Yates Co, NY, and Charles Peter.

As the bros Asa and Peter Drake nmd sons Ayers could that have been maiden nm of their mor? 1850 Jasper NY Census, taken as of June 1, listed Peter Drake as a farmer worth $5,750, and household members as Charles aged 19, Janes (?) Charles ae 18 yrs and Harriett Adams ae 8 yrs. What connection with Drake fam were last two listed? Will gladly answer queries on any desc that I have info on.

14-1-85 Thompson, Madison

Eugene Hester Thompson, Jr., 5010 Lancaster St., Greensboro, N.C. The Virginia Magazine of History and Biography VIII (Jan. 1901) 331-332, in an article on "Early Augusta Co. Surveys ((communicated by Judge Lyman Chalkley, Staunton)" lists, among many others, the fol nms of persons for whom surveys were made in Augusta Co., from George Hume's field notes of the surveys: May 9th 1738—John Brown, Moses Thompson, George Hutchison, Robert Camble, William Vance. Aug. 15th 1738 —John Steel, William Beverley, Beverley Monor. The William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine, Vol. 2, Series 2 (July 1922), p. 185, in an article on "The Birthplace of Bishop Madison," by Charles E. Kemper, says: John Madison, father of the Bishop was appointed the first clerk of Augusta Co., Va, in 1745, and in 1746 a court order was entered ordering a road to be cleared from the court house to the clerk's office. In 1745 (Dec. 12) John Madison bought from Moses Thompson 1041 acres of land and in 1752 John Madison sold 731 acres of this land to Robert McClenahan ,and it is described as lying "on the north branch of Christian's Creek." Further info re the Moses Thompson mentioned in these two magazines is desired. Who were his p? Was he m and did he have ch? Special Query: Is the Moses Thompson mentioned above an anc of Moses Thompson b 4 Apr 1807 in Butler co, Ky, d 16 Mar 1884, at res of Mrs. M. A. Gunn in Cadz, Ky? (Note: The Right Rev. James Madson b 27 Aug 1749, consecrated first bishop of Va in England, by Archbishop Moore of Canterbury, Bishop Beilby Porteus of London, and Bishop Thomas of Rochester on 19 Sep 1790. Bishop James Madison was a cousin of president James Madison. He was the fourth bishop in the American Episcopate and d 5 Mar 1812).

14-1-86 Tincher, White, Palmer, Bruner, Grimes

Mrs. Lois Tincher Dorsey, 2266 W., 5100 S., Roy, Utah needs info on fam nm of Tincher. Used to think this an unusual nm, but now find it most prolific. Am trying to compile fam his, to later be printed, for immed fam, with extra copies for library at Logan and Salt Lake City, in that I have received very courteous help from both, and have found no lineage charts on our family, or allied families in either library. Fam trad says three Tincher bros came to America, "long bef RW" from England. One fam mig to Mo., with Judge Hugh Tincher, Judge of Co Court, Calloway Co., an issue. Wnt to know if his anc Frank, one of the original and where did other two bros go. Early court rec 1750 of Augusta Co, Va., give nm of Samuel Tincher. Tax lists of 1790 Greenbrier Co, WVa lists others. Need nm of ship on which they arr and city from which they sailed. Who were the ones that mig to Fayette and Kanawha cos, WVa. Did they move into Ky? To what fam did John Tincher of near Alderson, Greenbrier Co., belong? Are my relatives from these original three bros? My f George Hiram Tincher, b 1877, Elmont, Kansas, s of George Marion Tincher and America Jane White both b Ind, need exact city, m Greencastle, 1865. His twin sis, Sarah Tincher Palmer and older bro James Hiram Tincher also mig. Faye Tincher, movie star of silent days, is gdau of James Hiram Tincher. Where is she? If bur, where? Both bros help build East Wing of Capitol of Topeka, Kansas; gf was a rural mail carier ,too. During CW he was wounded at Gettysburg, and mustered out of 70th Ind. Vols. a Corp in 1865. His p (ggp of Lois Tincher Dorsey)d within short time of each other, abt 1857. This in conn with a letter pub in The Daily Banner, Greencastle, Ind., under date of Jan. 17, 1918. George Marion Tincher writes: 60 yrs ago the old homestead was sold. The spring still gurgles as it did over 100 yrs ago, when father opened it. Nothing is left but the cemetery where sleeps our f and mor, our sis and bro." This letter written to a sis Mrs. B. F. Bruner, Greencastle. Where is the location of old home, and where is the cem? These ggp were George and Sarah Grimes Tincher, m 1823 Monroe Co., Ind., b 1801 and 1803, respectively, where were they b? Who was Sarah Grimes p? Was f of George Tincher, ggf of writer, a Robert Tincher? Census shows a Robert Tincher with s John, Robert, Obadiah and George. Who were p of Robert? Who was his w? Are issues of Obadiah still in Ky? Maternal allied fam are Hull, Reynolds, Whitfield of early Va., with Badger, Bates, Griffin from English records at Shrewsbury, Shropshire, England. Will share what I have with others; inquiries invited.

14-1-87 Price

H. J. Baker, 1412 W. Main, Crawfordsville, Ind. Who were p of Price bros: Aquilla b 6 Mar 1806, William b 22 Mar 1811, Benjamin b 17 Feb 1834, Levi b 16 Apr 1836, Wesley dates unknown. Price fam migrated from Va to Ky to sou Ind.

14-1-88 Hammett, Shumacher, Pruitt, Jones, Smith, Eason, Johnson, Turner, Piper, Caldwell, Patterson, Campbell, Rountree, Shaw, Landes

Mrs. A. L. Camp (Ludie B. Jones) 524 W. Hopkins St., San Marcos, Texas wants info on anc of Isaac and Martha G. Hammett. Census shows they were b in Ky, mov to Macon Co, Mo, where they liv ca 20 years. Later settled in Travis Co Texas, where they d abt 1877. Issue: Andrew Jackson m Margery Shuhmacher, Wash; W. P.; Martha m Pruitt; J.P. and J. M. Hammett. Wants p and anc of James Randle Jones, b 1832 near Macon, Ga. Came Texas as young man, m Mary Elizabeth Smith in 1857 in Travis Co., Texas, d 1891. Only info is he had sister named Emma m Eason and a bro Wiley (or Wylie). Ch: Nancy m Johnson; Kate m Turner; James S. m Piper; John (Jack) m Caldwell; Jesse m Patterson; Abner Fluellen m Hammett; Belle m Campbell; Sallie; Wade and Melvin who d at age two. Wants anc of Thomas Rountree and w, Sarah . Date and place of b? d 1828 in Lincoln Co, Tenn. Ch: James L, William, Mary, Ann, Katherine m Shaw, Elizabeth m Landess, Nancy m Smith. The town of Lynchburg was established on his lands.

14-1-89 Strickland, Archer, Culver

Miss Casey W. Arnette, 2827 28th Street NW, Washington 8, D.C. Want data on William Thomas Strickland who came to Ark via Ala with two bros and entered land. (As the story goes) William Thomas m Rebecca Archer, b 1 Jan 1820, in Lexington dist, SC, dau Samuel and Mary Archer. It is said William Thomas owned much land in Hot Springs, Ark (which was never reclaimed after CW) but believed that he is bur at Russellville, Ark. After his d Rebecca Archer Strickland and ch returned to Ala. Later she m William Culver who was m 1) to her sis, Elizabeth Archer. After CW, Rebecca Archer Strickland Culver, ret to Ark, via stagecoach, became ill during trip, d and is believed b in Ark.

14-1-90 Griffith, Griffeth, Doane, Chesebrough, Anderson, Johnson, Cowell, Lawyer

Lt. Col. G. G. Griffeth, 4337 15th Ave. N.E., Seattle 5, Wash. 1. Lazarus Griffeth b 7 Jun 1708 Harwich, Mass, d ? m 30 Sep 1731 Lydia Doane b 9 Feb 1714/5 ? Ch: Mary b 10 Jun 1733, d ? m at Plymouth 1 Jan 1756 Josiah Bryant; William b 14 Jun 1735, d 19 Nov 1735; Lazarus b 5 Nov 1736; Lidea b 24 Jun 1739; Rebekka b 19 Aug 1741, d 19 Jun 1743; Rebekah b 11 Mar 1743/4; Stephen b 2 Mar 1745/6 d ? (near Lake George N.Y.) m ?. All ch b Harwich, Mass.; Joseph b 4 Sep 1748; William b 20 Jan. 1751, both b Middle Haddam, Conn. Want m, d dates, nms and places. Fam mov in 1742 from Middle Haddam, Conn to Queens Co., NY. Lazarus Jr. is known to have been enlisted 11 April 1758 in NY Provincial Troops. 2. Lazarus Griffeth b ? prob Conn or Mass d 1802/10 Ontario, Canada, m abt, 1772/3, prob Conn or Mass, Hannah ? (may be 2) w as there is nine year birth interval bet ch El-

eazer and Done; Hannah known to be liv 6 Feb 1824 ,Ontario, Canada. Ch: Mary b abt 1773/4, prob Conn or Mass d abt 1806, Ontario, Canada, m abt 1789/90, prob Mamakating Town, Ulster Co., now Sullivan Co., NY; Jeptha Skinner; Enos b abt 1775 prob Conn m Sarah ? Eleazer b 4 Mar 1777 Conn d 17 Mar 1843 St. George, Ontario, Canada, m 2 Apr. 1816 Sarah Smith; (nine year birth interval); Done b 15 Jun 1786 NY, d 15 Oct. 1875 Augusta, Mich, m abt. 1808, Lavina Howell; Pheobe b 28 Apr 1789 NY d ?, m 6 Jun 1811, George Hughson; Elizabeth b abt 1791 NY, d ?, m 24 Dec 1816 Ancaster, Ont., Can., Stephen Pembleton; Lazarus Jr b 1794, Beverly, Ont., Can. d ? m Lydia ?; Isaac b abt 1798, Beverly, Ont., Can. d 13 Aug. 1857 St. George, Ont., Can. m ?. Want places of b in U.S. 3.Records of First Congregational Church, Stonington, Conn. Page 254. Dec 22 1762 William Griffeth m Anna Chesebrough b 6 Jan 1743 Stonington, Conn. Want anc and desc of William. 4, James Anderson b 5 Jan 1802 Westmoreland Co, P d 5 Jan 1845 Westmoreland Co., Pa, m 5 Jul 1832 Somerset Co., Pa., Elizabeth Johnson b 12 Mar 1802 Somerset Co, Pa, d 6 Mar 1869 Linn Co, Iowa. Want anc of both. 5, Christopher Cowell b abt 1807/8 Pa, d 5 Apr 1886, m abt 1828/9 ? Lawyer b ?, d 1 Dec 1852; Ch: Henry b 10 Jan 1820; Elder H. b 20 Feb 1833 Crawford Co., Pa, d 17 Apr 1879 Shellsburg, Iowa, m 30 Oct. 1856 Eliza Jane Maxon; James Lawyer b 22 Jan 1836 Crawford Co, Pa, d 12 Oct 1916; Walla Walla, Wash., m 4 Feb. 1864 Rosannah Anderson; Rebecca b 22 Feb 1840 m ? Robb; Robert C. b 21 May 1843 Ohio, d Kansas; Sarah Ann b 21 Oct. 1845, m Charles Moon; Martha Jane b 21 Dec 1849; John b 1 Dec. 1852. Wnt any info.

14-1-91 Carr, Thorp, Higgins, Worrell

Mrs. George Pease, 3215 Kingman Blvd., Des Moines, 11, Iowa, wants to know p and anc of her g gm, Mary Carr, b 10 Aug 1823 prob in Mo. She m Josiah Thorp, b 3 Feb 1821; she d 23 Jun 1889 in East Atchison, Mo. Had sister "Betsey" Carr, who m ? Riley and brother "Alec" or "Alex" Carr who m Annie ?, and liv in Parkville, Mo. Mary Carr and h Josiah Thorp had ch: Joanna b 10 May 1850, Parkville, Mo, m Wm. Wallace Higgins; Frances m Richard Worrell; Elizabeth "Ibby" m ? Roy William, unm, and perhaps other ch named "Zack", Squire, Milton, Thomas and Nancy. Will welcome crspd on Carrs, Thorps and Higgins.

14-1-92 Roper, Gibbs, Lyman, Woodruff, Alcott, Sutton, Norton ,Blakesley, Arnold, Miles, Beach, Fletcher, Derby, Manley, Hoover, Winchell, Foote, Nott, Wood, Ennis

Mrs. Fordyce R. Landers, 231 H St., Bakersfield, Calif., wnts info on Capt. Ephraim Roper b Sterling ,Mass, Feb. 1879, s Nathanael and Naomi (Gibbs) Roper, one of 10 bros RW have anc. Father Middletown, Conn., 1790, 1 male, infant son 2) m (to whom?) Where were Ephraim, John and Ezra? Ephraim m1) Southington, Conn., Ruth, dau Samuel and Ruth (Lyman) Woodruff; ch: Southington, Sophia Ruth b 31 May 1800 m Jedediah Alcott of Wolcott (what occupation?); George E. b 25 Feb 1804 m Mary Sutton, Westmoreland Co, Va; Frederick Lyman b 29 Sep 1806 d c 1830 where? Fanny Bird b 6 Aug 1808 m 1) Rowe Norton; 2) Enos Blakesley of Bristol, she d c 1890; Charles A. b 29 May 1811, m Maria Arnold, liv Bristol. Ruth d 26 Apr 1813, m 2) Laura, dau Lt Joseph and Hannah (Miles) Beach of Waterbury. Ch: Sally Maria b Southington 11 Aug 1814, Joseph Beach b Wolcott 5 Sep 1818, m Paulina Fletcher dau Laura, Indian captive; any desc? Caroline b Wolcott 7 Apr 1818, m Albingance Newton Derby of Pa liv Burlington, Ia. Did they have dau Carry? John b?, d 13 Jun 1818; Ephraim liv Wolcott 1820. ennett b Windham, Green co, NY, 2 Aug 1824, m Hubbell Manley Pa., Fordyce b 25 Sep 1826 Catskill, Greene Co, m 1) Rosalie (Roper) Hoover Sauk Co., Wisc., 2) Julia Sophia b Cranville, Ohio, dau Alvin and Priscilla (Winchell) Foote liv Pawnee Ranch and Beatrice, Neb. How did Capt. Ephraim get title, what occu and when did he leave Greene Co? Laura Ann b NY 5 Sep 1828, m Edward Nott of Bristol, Conn, d Bristol 3 Apr 1854; Louisa Jane b NY 17 Aug 1830, m Norman Wood, Pa., Fred Ephraim b Candor, Tioga Co NY, 10 Oct. 1835, m Mary Ennis NY 2, liv Pawnee Ranch, Beatrice and Hebron, Nebr., Sally Maria m 18 Apr 1833, Fordyce Roper of another line. Fam mov to Canton, Bradford Co., Pa., where Ephraim d 3 Apr 1854, Laura d 6 Apr 1852. Where are desc of his gs, George E. b Va., 5 Sep 1825? Son George in Ashland, Ore, 1904.

14-1-93 Barton, Pitcher, Wilson

Joseph E. Wilson Jr., 24 South 3rd East St., Logan, Utah, is anxious to learn present whereabouts of Mrs. Myrtle Barton Pitcher, whose post office address in 1949 was, Box 482, Imola, Calif., or any of her close rel. In the genealogical Helper of March, 1949, Question Box, Mrs. Pitcher asked for nms of p of her gm, Marcia E. Wilson, b 25 Dec 1811, at St. Albans, Franklin, Vt., m Reuben Barton 11 Feb 1838, Coles Co., Ill. Since the article appeared in the Helper, I have learned that Marcia is a sister of my gf and I have considerable info to xch re p and anc of Marcia E. Wilson. My letter to Mrs. Pitcher at the above address was returned.

14-1-94 Davis ,Heston, Thomas

Mrs. Ron Gardner, 820 Florida St. S.E., Albuquerque, N. Mex. needs p and exact b date for George Orshun (Orrison) Davis m Mary Jane Heston b 1828 dau of Samuel and Albina (Butler) Heston in Carroll Co Ohio abt 1848. 1850 Census Ohio state b Ohio 26 years old making b date 1824, ch: 1, Clarinda (Clara) b 1849 m ? Haile, bur in Kansas; 2, Mary Elizabeth b 1852 m John Morrison Randolph; 3, Annis (Annie) m ? Weaver liv Pa. 4 James m Jane Scarlett no issue. 5, Orshun Wm. (Will) m Arvilla McCausland had 2 daus. Martha & Nellie. George Orshun Davis served in CW didn't return to fam, paid visit in 1908, left again. Joshua Davis, s of Dennis and Joanna (Thomas) Davis went with Brigham Young from Ill., to Utah, named one son Orrison and one Burdell (have Aunt Kate Burdell). Is there a relationship bet this Joshua Davis and George Orshun Davis Have Heston line.

14-1-95 Nichols, Marshall, Stocker, Benton, Berry, Virden

Edythe Wilson (Mrs. Henry J.) Thoesen, 957 Pleasant St., Boulder, Colo, wishes anc of 1) Abraham Nichols m 6 Dec 1722 in Greenwich, Conn. Ruth Marshall (Thomas, John); (2) Edward Stocker of Lyme Conn., whose dau Experience b 1695 d 1781 Ashfield, Mass., m James Benton of Guilford, Conn 11 Mar 1719; (3) Mary Berry d 1837 Kent Co Del m 1799 William Virden b 1773, d 1820 Kent Co Del.

14-1-96 Magee

Harold T. Magee, 228 South 12th St., Lewisburg, Pa, desires info on s Carl and au Mary of Curtin Lincoln Magee, b 6 Dec 1860 Emlenton, Venango Co, Pa, d 20 Dec 1888 St. Joseph, Mo. I'm info his wid mov to vic to Chicago, Ill, with the two ch where she remarried. Desire nm and address of wid and her ch Carl Magee and Mary Magee.

14-1-97 Severinghous, Mulford

Mrs. Marion Mulford Thompson, 428 Green Street Place, Gainesville, Ga., wants info on origin of Severinghaus nm and earliest settlers in America. Idea is they came from Scandinavia, France and Germany. Also Va and Ga Mulford belonging to Va cavalry in CW.

14-1-98 Fletcher, Durham, Purinton, Messinger

Mrs. F. A. Fletcher, 1018 Raymond Ave., Long Beach 4, Calif., wants (1) p of Solon Fletcher and Catherine Durham and when and where this couple was m. Solon b 6 Jul 1840 Cornish, NH, d 27 Jun 1920 Council Grove, Kansas. Catherine b 1 Aug 1842 Burlington, Vt., d 13 May 1926 Council Grove, Kansas. Fam liv in 1842 around Chalk Mound, Kansas, where ch were b. (2) P of David H. Purinton and Chastina Messinger. Ch b in Allegany Co, NY from where fam mov in 1844. They had 11 ch, oldest b 23 Nov 1825, youngest 3 May 1843. David b 7 Aug 1798 NY, d 19 Mar 1865 Green Co, Wis. Chastina b 27 Sep 1799 Conn, d 27 Sep 1878 Green Co, Wis.

14-1-99 Jackson, Williams, Henry, Wright, Wilkinson, Daviess, Thornburg, Hutchings, Branson, Chalfant, Linville, Cary

D. H. Jackson, P. O. Box 673, Owensboro, Ky., desires to cspd with those with info on p, anc and rel of Jesse Jackson and w May Williams. Both bur at New Burlington, Ind. He b 1782, d 1848; she d 1840. Tradition says they may have liv Surry Co, NC and Greene Co, Tenn, bef going to Miami Co., Ohio about 1804. When Shelby Co., Ohio., was formed in 1819 records show Jesse Jackson was paying poll and road taxes for several years. Abt 1830 they mov to Delaware Co, Ind. Most, if not all, of their 13 ch were b in Shelby Co, Ohio: Jesse C.,

Barbara b 1811, d 1900, bur Shelby Co., Ohio, m 1) Richard Henry, m 2) Michiel Wright; Nancy m 1 Jan 1829 Thomas Wilkinson; Edward D. liv Germantown, Ohio 1850; May Jane m ? Daviess; Jeremiah S. b 1818, m Keziah Cary; James Harry b 13 Feb 1827, d 29 Oct. 1889, m 1 Dec 1845 Elizabeth West; John Fielding b 13 Feb 1827, d Dec 1899 bur Muncie, Ind, m 24 Jan 1850 Jane Hutchings; Charlotte m Hiram Branson; Synthia m Joel Chalfant; two other daus m a Linville and a Cary. **14-1-100 Meeks, Pumphrey, Callahan, Worthington, Jones, Holmes, Hamer, Tingley, Simpson ,Scoles, Storer, Hales, Stoneman, Jackman, Hammond, Ford, Nessley, Manly, Martin, Shepherd, Zane, Boone, Owing, Wells**

Mrs. Louis Bushfield, 509 Daniel St., Toronto, Ohio wants info on pioneer Methodists in Upper Ohio Valley including counties on both sides of river from Pittsburg to Marietta. Would like to crspd with any one familiar with foll: Isaac Meeks, NJ, to western Pa., d Jefferson Co. Ohio. A founder of Holmes Church, Jefferson Co., Ohio, sons Jacob and John, Methodist ministers. Resin Pumphrey, first Methodist in Brooke Co, Va, ca 1785 d 1814. Had eight sons, one dau, Rhoda Pearson m Methodist minister . Sons William, Joseph, Caleb helped establish Holmes, and Hopewell Church, Jefferson Co.; son Nicholas m Cassandra Jones moved to Ind. Rev. George Callahan, preached first Methodist sermon, 1787 Carpenter's Fort, Jefferson Co, m Margaret? Wells; set Licking Co Ohio. Had desc Pickering, Ford. Rev. Nicholas Worthington, pioneer minister, father lived in Brooke Co, mother Mary Jones? John Jones, first Methodist in Waynesburg, Pa, desc, set Brooke Co, Va and Jefferson Co, Ohio. Obadiah Holmes, NJ desc. Rev. Obadiah Holmes, Baptist minister, Boston ca 1665 set Brooke Co, Va ca 1785. Had sons Jacob, Joseph helped establish Holmes and Dickerson Churches, Ohio. William Hamer, Md. set Brooke Co Va, where Trustee of Kadesh Church ca 1794 moved to Dayton, Ohio 1796. Was local minister and founder of Grace Church, Dayton. Other Methodist families in area: Tingley, Simpson, Scoles, Soles, Storer, Hales, Stoneman, Jackman, Hammond, Ford, Nessley, Manley, Martin, Shepherd, Zane, Boone, Owing, Wells. Have info on all and will xch.

In a moment of reverie, trying to penetrate the hidden past, Mrs. Mary Stewart, 7118 Olivett Ave., La Jolla, Calif., penned these rhyming thoughts,

This mystery of the past,
So large, so vast,
I cannot fathom it.
I know it's there,
Like the breeze that rocks
Grandfather's chair;
Not seen, but moving
By God's wind.
Still small voice,
Tell me—(it seems so far)
Who my ancestors are.

McKeevers

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Brown, Browning, Bushfield, Cary, Campbell, Clark, Cleavenger, Cox, Crawford, Dallas, Duval, Donnan, Elliot, Emery, Fortune, Freeman, Fuller, Haight Haskins, Holmes, Howell, Johnson, Jones, Kirk, Kiser. Laisure, Lambie, Likes, Love, Matthews, Melvin, Miksch, Miller, McFadden, McFarland, McKelvey Neeley, Norton, Oxley, Pumphrey, Quaintance, Rosemond, Saltsman, Shinabarger, Simkins, Sloan, Smith, Stewart, Toland, Udell, Watts, Wilkin, Williams, Waddle, Worrell and Young.

How Mrs. Bushfield became interested in gathering the McKeever genealogy she tells interestingly in the preface, "Some twenty-five years ago I first saw the village of West Middletown, Pennsylvania, when I stopped with my husband to visit his father's grave. As we walked through the old Union Grove cemetery and read the inscriptions on the time-worn stones, my husband spoke of the stories his father had told him of the interwoven relationships of the early settlers and his father's great love for the village, its people and his desire to be buried among his forefathers. I was struck with the beauty of the rolling hills and deep valleys. Through the years as we stopped again and again, I felt strangely drawn to the quiet town and more and more curious as to these long ago ancestors.

"Then one day we met Phoebe Acheson Murdock, whose grandmother, born in 1825, had rememberd the past with wonderful clarity all the days of her ninety-three years and told her interested grandchild what she remembered. The entire McKeever family is indebted to Mrs. Murdock for her efforts to preserve the family past. Her "black notebook" and walnut secretary contains a great accumulation of material regarding not only the McKeevers and their kinfolks, but also of the closely connected and intermingled early settlers of the entire community.

"From the first, Mrs. Murdock shared her knowledge and encouraged the search for the far-flung McKeevers. From old family letters she resurrected names and addresses, worked out simple family outlines, and answered innumerable questions. Without her guidance, the work would never have been completed.

"From every corner of the country came long letters that gave family records, identified pictures, and added to the information. Gradually the family relationships emerged and at last we can present the results."

Among the many relatives who helped with the various branches of the family were Burl J. Haight of Palo Alto, Calif., Claud Waddle of Fort Morgan, Colo., Dr. Frederick Emery of Concordia, Kansas, E. N. Miller of Grosse Point Farms, Michigan, Mrs. Emily Neely Cooper of Wheeling, West Virginia, and Mrs. Clara Beatty of Nevada.

Researcher Needs Help On Feemsters

Mrs. Eva L. Christensen, 2572 20th St., Sacramento 18, California, is having a lot of troubles with her FEEMSTER family lines. She is of the opinion that if those records are ever straightened out, a lot of explanations are necessary.

After you have read this article turn to the Question Box and read querry No. 13-4-57 in Dec. issue. We are sure it would be appreciated if you would keep the family in mind as you search Virginia records for your own lines.

This is what Mrs. Christensen says, "I am a fourth great granddaughter of Thomas Feemster, one of the earliest emigrants to Augusta county, Virginia I have names of his children taken from family and court records regarding settlement of his estate on 20 June 1812. I have not a proven record of his marriage. Family records say his wife was Elizabeth Graham, but other similarly trustworthy records say she was Elizabeth Sittlington. That's the beginning of the trouble.

"Christopher Graham, who married Mrs. Margaret Risk, met Thomas in Pennsylvania. Together they went to Augusta county, Virginia, where they lived about thirty miles apart, near Monterey. Apparently Thomas and Elizabeth never had any children named Christopher or Margaret, so I have some doubts.

"One line of the Feemster family claims that Thomas had a son, Thomas, Jr. This I believe very likely. However, no record seems to have been found for him. Neither he nor his heirs appear in settlement of estate. If there were a Thomas Jr., he must have died without issue before 1797. Could this have been the Thomas Feemster who married Elizabeth Sittlington? Thomas had two grandsons named Thomas. One of them is my ancestor and is accounted for, the other is mentioned in my querry.

"All Feemster descendants I have found claim descent through their daughter Susanna. Estimating from marriage records: all children were born between 1740 and 1754; Susanna was the seventh child and was born circa 1722; if so, she would have been fifty years old when she married Joseph Wallace. Feemster records say Susanna died without issue.

William, the oldest child, who was born ca 1740, married first on 22 June 1763 Margaret Black, married second Susanna Bratton and married third Mary Fulton and raised a large family. Susanna Bratton was the daughter of Adam Brattan who married first Agnes Givens, daughter of John and Margaret Sittlington Givens.

"I am not trying to dispute the records of any other person, only trying to find proof of who were the parents of Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Feemster."

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Oregon Woman Writes Corn Family Record

Regardless of family connections all persons interested in genealogy, and especially those who intend to publish the family records they have gathered, should read the preface to Our Family Tree, published about eight months ago by Si and Shirley Corn, 15 SW Walker Road, Beaverton, Oregon.

In an interesting way it tells of a planned three or four page story on the immediate family growing into a 460-page book naming the descendants, or most of them, of eleven inter-related families. In the interim there were lots of ideas tried, scores discarded, and many lessons learned.

The compilers of the information gathered were amazed with the data collected and impressed with the histories of their ancestors. Naturally there has been a lot of correspondence over the years to bring all of the material together. Much information was received from many sources. Some relatives, however ignored requests for family data. The compilers say "We hope that those who have failed to furnish a sketch of their branch of the family will not think hard of us when they do not see their names in these pages."

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Madelene C. Scott, 1272 Sunset Dr. Salt Lake City 16, Utah. Carrico, Engle, Branson, Ely, Roberts, Cotton, Freeman, Hunter, Dodson, Levingston, Starnes, Segers, see S-44 Sept. '59 "Helper". Address above is correction.

SEEK INFO: Sarah Flanery Ky, m John Montgomery Ky. Prob lived on Green River. Dau Edith Jane Montgomery b 1812 Ky m her cousin James Cole (b 1812) in 1833; moved to Madison Co, Ark. James Cole was s of John Cole and Edith Montgomery. Edith Mongomery said to be dau of Alexander Montgomery & Mary Elizabeth Johnson, who m in fort on French Broad River in colonial days. Corres invited on Flanery, Montgomery & Cole fams of Ky. Mrs. L. W. Ledgerwood, 519 South Hudson, Tulsa, Okla.

HAROLD C. Youtz, Rt. No. 2, East Canton, Ohio wnt info concerning p of Peter Yountz (Jutz, Yutz, Yeutz) & w Elizabeth from Canton Pa. Fam of following ch of Peter Yountz—Peter Jr. founder of Newville near Elizabethtown. Emanual & Thomas, Mary & Elizabeth one of whom m an Eschelman & had a s Jacob, p, bros, sis of Paul Younts, surveyor, who plotted Newville, Youtzes living in Md.

WILLIS E. THOMPSON, 111 W Locust St., San Antonio 12, Texas. Wnt info abt: 1, John Thompson b 13 June 1763 Ire m Martha Sawyers. Bible with data was in possession of the Mary Black Bogle fam Blount Co, Tenn ca 1920. 2 M data William (or James Wm.) Thompson b 22 Oct 1796 m Sarah McMillan Knox Co? Tenn. Who were p of Sarah? 3, Desc of Alonzo Thompson b 1850, Knox Co, Tenn m Jennie M Boyd. Lived in San Francisco ca 1900. 4, Contact with Kreidebrink desc NE US ca 1890. 5, P & bpl of Sarah Elizabeth Hood, m Robert Cridebring, Mount Vernon, Lawrence Co, Mo 27 Sep 1868. 6, Contact with desc of Christian, Herman, & ? Hess? (f of Theodor, Wilhelm, Hermine, Auguste & Carl). In Pittsburg, Pa ca 1850.

MRS. GERALDINE COOK, Rt. 1, Paul, Idaho. Seeking data. Joseph Cook w Ann Wood b in Eng had s Joseph Wood Cook b 21 Sep 1830 Ferninlee, Derbyshire, Eng, w Martha Barlow b 19 Dec 1830 Denton Lancashire, Eng. Info on p of John Abraham Etter b 1850 in Tenn w Rebecca Victoria Drake b 1858 in Tenn.

AVON BROOKS, 544 So Solomon, Mesa, Ariz. wnt bpl and other ch of Joseph & Sarah Allen Brooks; s James Henry Brooks b Eng, Scot, NY ,5 Apr 1832; believed in Detroit 1859.

HENDERSON, Mrs. Walter Henderson, 9732 Skylark Blvd., Garden Grove California. William Perkins b 1780 where in Mass m Elizabeth Perkins (Dougherty) Indiana 1825 dau Elizabeth m Alexander Garner 1856 Henderson, Ky. Where Alex b p, bro & sis name.

JULIA SWORDS, 529 S Solomon, Mesa, Ariz desires info on Jonathan & Andrew Swords; f John Sr, b 19 Mar 1755, Old Pendelton Dist, SC, now Anderson Co .mor Eleanor Swacy.

ANY INFO re p of Samuel Newton Warfield b Ohio 1818. Mrs. Tom Warfield, 1023 13th Ave. So, Nampa, Idaho.

ARCHIBALD (Archie) Campbell came from SC. What Co? Who did he m? where m? He and his fam set in Glynn Co, Brunswick, Ga; later moved to Hazards Neck, Camden Co, Ga. Ch: William; believe there were other ch. William Campbell m Clark in Camden Co. What was her given name: Who were her p? ch: Jacob C Sr, John, Daniel, Jane. Jacob C. Campbell Sr m Jane Taylor b 1833, where m? who were her p?. Ch: William and Ruth d young-bur Nassau Co, St. Augustine, Fla. Jane b Coffee Co, Ga. m Jim Rickerson where? Stacy b Glynn Co, Brunswick, Ga m Dave Beard where?: Jacob C Jr. m Hettie Pierce May 28 1884 where? She was b May 16 1864. Who were her p? Sarah m Simpson Therkeen, where? John m a Love. Caroline m 1) William J. Hendricks 30 Mar 1895 in what town? (Clifton or Clinton, Jones Co, Ga)? Her 2) m to Henry Cabel Myers Jan 22, 1910 in Duval Co, Jacksonville, Fla. Fam Gen compiling Fam Hist on these lines. Any info will be appreciated. Mrs. Orial B. Meyerhoefer, 1003 W Kentucky Ave., Tampa, Fla.

INFO WNT: On all Pankratz desc in America. Mrs. James Webb, 1147 No 12th W, Salt Lake City 16, Utah.

CURTIS James R, KFRO, Box 792, Longview, Texas. Xch info on Southern Curtis, Ricketts, Armstrong, Lumsden, Margan, Tribble, Finley Holloway, Hampton Perry, Hinton.

Faye Chalk, Lewis, Kans. wnt 1) ances & fam of Ezra C. J. Gilson b in Genesee Co, NY m Nancy Evelyn Lipscomb 24 Jan 1853 Campbell Co, Ky dau Luella Artinsa Gilson b 21 Jan. 1854 Claryville, Campbell Co, Ky m Peter S. Chalk 22 Feb 1877. 2) Data & ances of Nancy Evelyn Lipscomb, f Joseph Lipscomb b Va.

William Slater, s of Wm. Bevans Slater w Susan Meadows left Va in 1832 lived in Ohio, Ind, Ill. John West, Thuel West lived in Ohio b ca 1825 moved to Ill. Peter Slagle b NC 1776 moved to Ill, Morgan Co ca 1817. If you have info on these people while in these states write me and will pay you for same at prices agreed upon. Offer not good after June 1st 1960.

HALLIDAY-HOLLIDAY-HOLODA. Roy H. Elliott, 5319 Broadway Terrace, Oakland 18, California, requests info or crspd re all ch and vital statistics of the fam of Matthew Halliday, b at Suffield, Conn., 23 January 1771, s of James Halliday and Rebecca Copley Halliday. He m Judith van Wormer in Dutch Reformed Church at Schenectady, N.Y., 29 January 1794, his nm given as Mathias Holoda. Had s James 1796. His older br m Elizabeth Taylor and lived in Montgomery Co., N.Y. His older sis m John Deming who li for a time at Amsterdam and later at Middlefield.

WOULD like info on fam of Huddleston, Davidson, Sullivan, Latimer, Wilson, Ward. Charles Huddleston, 305 Pecan St., La Marque, Texas.

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DATA TO XCH: Noble, Stewart, Renshaw, Ky, Ill, Tenn, Howard Noble, 1411 Waite St., Eugene, Oreg.

BALLARD, Georgia Floyd 501 Powell Henderson, Ky. Moses Jeffers, Farquier Co, Va, 1803; dau Elizabeth Floyd, Sarah Lincoln, Rachel Milligan; son John d Nelson Co, Ky, 1798. Moses was administrator.

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DESIRE info on p, br, sis and their desc of Philip Cutshaw (all or schall) b Tuscarawas Co Ohio, ca 1834. Miss Edna L. Cutshaw, 1366 N Arlington, Indianapolis, Ind.

WANTED: Names of p, bros of Richard Dozier Gammon, from Norfolk Co, Va to Greenup Co, Ky 1780. Rev. William J. Gammon, P.O. Box 323, Montreat, NC.

WHO were p of Benjamin Bailey, will probated Chesterfield Co, Va 13 Apr 1807, naming w Sarah; s Abraham; gs Henry s of Benjamin; dau Rachel Boles; gch: William Gates, Sally Goode, Susanna Gates, Nancy Gates, Patsey Gates, James Gates. Who was w Sarah? W. G. Ambrose, 2838 Sugartree Rd., Nashville, Tenn.

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ANC of William Haiden or Hayden who left Fairfield, Conn 1664 & settled at Eastchester, NY d abt 1696. Raymond D. Hadden, Box 30, Ridgeway, Ontario, Canada.

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MRS. WM. J. BROWN, Crescent, Okla. Wants info on p & rel of John Williams, b 1817, in NC; m 1st Emaline (Hockaday) Hall a wid, was in Gibson Co, Tenn in 1850, in Prairie Co, Ark, in 1860; m 2nd Nancy Caroline Perkins: d in Ark 1895.

WNT P of O. H. Perry Timmons, b 1853, Pickaway Co, Ohio, p of his w Elizabeth Rhodes b 1855 Jackson Co, Iowa . P of Blanche Bowser b abt 1860 Frankfort, Ind m Cyrus Thatcher. All crspd welcome, Mrs. Mildred B. Sayler, 272 E. 740 No., Orem, Utah.

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Sleuthing In Family Search

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and in each . . . the ages of both are about right, so it doesn't look like a second marriage. In the 1870 census the Anna was undoubtedly James' mother, and I suspect that the Hannah of 1850 census was his mother-in-law. Next, how about that Sarah E. Bell, age 17 in 1870? That would make her born in 1853, thirteen years after the marriage in 1840. Was she James' child or a niece? The child James no doubt was James' son, but again the age, 15 years in 1870, born in 1855. I strongly suspect that Rachel was a second wife and probably the sister of Mary Ann. What do you think? The thought has just occurred to me that were that Sarah James' child she would have been listed in the census before the child James. Instead she is at the tail end."

My reply said, "From the Tappan records: Mary Ann Bell born December 9, 1816 ,christened February 9, 1817, daughter of John Bell and Hannah Graham. Rachel Bell born January 5, 1819, christened January 7, 1819, same parents. Rachel Bell married Daniel W. Devoe November 19, 1835, at Tappan . Could be that James Smith Haring married first Mary Ann and second Rachel, widow of Devoe. I find nothing on Devoe and Rachel, or anything else of these two girls in the Tappan records."

In recapitulation Louis replied: "620; Most certainly she had a son James Smith Haring bapt Tap. 4170, not in the book. Most certainly he is listed in both the census of 1850 and 1870 with a wife Rachel, and most certainly entry No. 1781, Bergenfield, shows James S. Haring mar. Mary Ann Bell 7-8-1840. Now Mary Ann could have died and James maried Rachel in the ten years between 1840 and 1850. In your letter you gave Rachel as Bett. Don't you think that, considering that the first wife was Bell, and that in 1870 a Sarah E. Bell appears in the family that there is a possibility that Rachel too was a Bell, and that someone had mistakenly crossed those Ls and made them Ts. Bett and Bell seem so similar. Here is a guess. Might it not be possible that Rachel was a sister of Mary Ann, or might not James have married second, the widow of a brother of Mary Ann's and the child ,Sarah E. Bell have been a child of her first marriage. All conjecture and possibilities, in an effort to find a solution. Don't suppose we can ever know."

Some time before this, Louis had mentioned that George Budke had collected cemetery inscriptions of the Bergen-Rockland County area, and that they were in the New York City Public Library. I had written for a filmed copy of these records, which came about this time. From the film I obtained the following:

At the New Cemetery, Tappan, Rockland County, N.Y.

Inscription Number 2304. Mary Ann Bell w of James S. Haring d 9.30.1844 a. 27.9.21

Inscription Number 2305. John Bell s of James S. and Mary Ann Haring d 3.21.1845 a 0.6.12

At Rockland Cemetery, Piermont, Rockland County, N.Y.

Inscription Number 13322. James Smith Haring b 8.26.1820 d. 11.5. 1878 md. November 17.1849.

Inscription Number 13323. Rachel Bell b 1.5.1819 d. 1.27. 1849.

From the records now at hand it was possible to send to Louis the following picture of James Smith Haring and his two wives.

James Smith Haring, son of Daniel J. Haring and Anna Smith was born August 26, 1820 and christened September 28, 1820 at Tappan Dutch Reformed Church, Tappan New York. He died November 5, 1878, and was buried at the Rockland Cemetery, Piermont, Rockland County, N.Y.

He married first, July 8, 1840 at Bergenfield, New Jersey, Mary Ann Bell, daughter of John Bell and Hannah Graham. She was born December 9, 1816, and christened February 9, 1817 at Tappan, N.Y. She died September 30, 1844 aged 27 years 9 months and 21 days, and was buried at Tappan N.Y.

James married second, November 17, 1849 (according to his gravestone) Rachel Bell, widow of Daniel W. Devoe of New York City and sister of Mary Ann. She was born January 5, 1819 and christened January 7, 1819 at Tappan, N.Y. She died January 27, 1897 and was buried at the Rockland Cemetery, Piermont, N.Y.

Child by Mary Ann Bell:

John Bell Haring, died March 21, 1845, aged 6 months 12 days and was buried at Tappan.

Child by Rachel Bell:

James Smith Haring, Jr. born July 2, 1855, married first October 7, 1884 Elizabeth Barrow Wylde. He married second April 10, 1894 Emma Mehaffey Pollock.

And now about Sarah E. Bell, aged 17 in 1870 census. Louis' last comment was "I'd bet that my guess is right and that she was the child of a brother of Mary Ann and Rachel."

Chaffee from Martin Co., Minn.

We have just learned that in the 1958 Annual Exchange Edition a line that didn't belong to it was added to registration J-43 sent in by Mrs. Pearl Johnson, 4812 Garfield Street, Las Mesa, California. The mistake was made in our office before the names in the registrations were indexed, so we have no way to find out where the names in that particular line belong. The misplaced line said: "Data to exchange on: Johnson, Chaffee, Chambers, Cook from Martin Co., Minn."

Recently Mrs. Johnson received inquiries about two of these families. Will the person who sent in that part of the registration kindly contact Mrs. Johnson so that she can forward the letters where they belong?

Help Needed To Identify Old Pictures

Mrs. Nona Bassett, 1422 O Street, Merced, California, some time ago came into possession of a box of pictures of family relatives and others more or less unknown to her. They used to belong to her great Aunt Irena Montross.

Says Mrs. Bassett, "Among the pictures were my 2nd great grandfather Josiah Franklin and wife Ann Conner; 2nd great grandfather John Lindsay Hicklin and wife Martha Thorn; his sister Jane Hicklin Conner, her daughter Anna Conner, and grandson Joe Flory; my great grandmother Hannah Franklin Hicklin, sons, Lyman, Arthur and Leonard Hicklin, daughters Lucinda Jane Bunnell, Irene Montross, Juliaetta Williams and Clara Coutts, and Forest Williams, Bert and Edwin Coutts; Hannah Franklin Hicklin's sister Sarah Elizabeth Franklin Thompson, perhaps her daughter, Tissie Thompson, probably a nickname; some people who are unidentified, several of Henry Hershal Exline and Mary Exline and their parents holding them.

"Some of these pictures were taken at Sunbeam Art Gallery, 236-238 South Main Street, Los Angeles. One of Mary Exline was taken at Nash, Denver, looks younger than one taken at Los Angeles.

"One of Tillie Hasslet and Rose Amner was taken at Foster Photo, Fresno, Calif.; Orie Darling taken by E. R. Higgans, 1741 Mariposa St., Fresno, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Squires from I. G. Davidson Studio, corner of First and Yamhill, Portland, Oregon; Ernest and Elsie Hamilton; John Smith, Laura and Beard taken at Foster's, 925 I St., Fresno Calif.; Della Alexander by Shuster and Davidson, corner First and Yamhill, Portland, Oregon, besides many pictures that have no names on them.

"I would like help in identifying these pictures and providing any relationship to my family. I'll send any one desiring a copy for identification purposes time and money permitting. I believe most of these pictures were taken about 50 years ago or more."

Steuben Co., N.Y.

As historian of Canisteo, N.Y. and chapter historian of the Kanestio Valley Chapter, NSDAR, Mrs. Leora Wilson Drake, 60 Russell Street, Canisteo, N.Y., has a wealth of material on families of Steuben County, NY, including the towns of Canisteo, Jasper, Greenwood, Troupsburg, Woodull, etc., besides records of several cemeteries in that section. Mrs. Drake indicates she is always glad to send such information to anyone interested.

Numerous Old Genealogical Records In Circulation Again

The work of the genealogical researchers is constantly made easier by the appearance of new family and locality histories and the reprinting of some of the earliest genealogical and historical books which have long been out of print, and therefore most difficult for the researcer to obtain. Prominent among those sponsoring the reprinting of such important books is the Genealogical Book Company of 530 N. Charles St. Baltimore 1, Maryland, formerly Southern Book Company.

Among the books sponsored by this company and now available once more to the public are John Bennett Boddie's Colonial Surry and Seventeenth Century Isle of Wight County, Virginia, Dr. Philip Slaughter's Notes On Culpeper County, Virginia; Raleigh Travers Green's History of St. Mark's Parish, J. Estelle Stewart King's Abstract of Wills and Inventories Fairfax County, Virginia, Viola Root Cameron's Emigrants from Scotland to America 1774-1775, Anerson Chenault Quisenberry's Revolutionary Soldiers in Kentucky, Thomas Marshall Green's Historic Famlies of Kentucky, Secretary of War Report on Kentucky Pension Roll for 1835.

Prominent in Colonial Surry are the Surry land grants from 1624 to 1740, early settlements and land owners, prominent men of Surry, several lists of tithables, and census and marriage bonds records for both Surry and Sussex. A 6x11 map shows Colonial Surry to include what are now the present counties of Surry, Sussex, Brunswick, Lunenburg, Mecklenburg, Charlotte, Halifax, Campbell, Pittsylvania, Bedford, Franklin, Patrick, Henry and most of Greensville.

First published in 1938, Isle of Wight County, Virginia, tells in its 756 pages quite a detailed story of its early days, including the coming of the Puritans, the Cavaliers, the Quakers, the first permanent North Carolina colony, and mentions most of the early families, and gives genealogical history of some of the more prominent settlers. It gives wills and deeds from 1662 to 1704, land grants from 1628 to 1705, and 1704 quit rents.

Notes On Culpeper County, Virginia is combined with the history of St. Mark's Parish. Among the families about whom sketches are written are Asby, Barbour, Broaddus, Brown, Browning, Bryan-Lillard, Carter, Cave, Clayton, Cole, Coleman, Conway, Cooke, Field, Fontaine, Fry, Garnett, Glassell, Green, Grinnan, Henry-Winston, Hill, Jones, Lamon, Littlepage, Madison, Micou, Pendleton, Rice, Slaughter, Somerville, Spotswood, Stevens, Stevenson, Strother, Taylor, Thomas, Thompson, Williams, Woodville and Yancey. Wills and marriages are also recorded.

Fairfax County, Virginia, deals with the wills from 1742 to 1801, rent rolls from 1761 to 1774, and alphabetic list inventories.

The names, former residence, age, occupation, and destination of about 2,000 emigrants sailing from Scottish ports on 34 boats from February 3, 1774 to and including Sept. 25, 1775, are listed in Emigrants from Scotland to America.

Reprinted from its 1896 publication Revolutionary Soldiers in Kentucky contains about 3,000 names of Revolutionary War soldiers from Kentucky, bounty recipients, the Illinois Regiment with which General George Rogers Clark won fame in the Northwest, list of participants in the Virginia Navy, and a list of Kentucky pensioners.

Historic Families of Kentucky, 304 pages, was first printed in 1888. The family ties of more than a hundred Kentucky families of Scottish extractions who came to Virginia after many years in Ireland are traced.

Listed in Kentucky Pension Roll for 1835 are about 2,500 Revolutionary War soldiers who lived in Kentucky in 1835.

For researchers who ancestors came from the sections with which these books deal these reprints are invaluable.

Book Company Changes Name

Announcement has just recently been made by the management of the Southern Book Company, 530 North Charles Street, Baltimore 1, Maryland, that the firm name has been changed to Genealogical Book Company. The address is the same.

The firm has been operating for about twenty years. During more than half of that time genealogical books have been a specialty of the concern. For that reason, it was decided that the new name would be more in keeping with its foremost interests.

It is understood that more consideration will also be given to the republishing of old and out-of-print genealogical books and records and family histories, a phase of the business to which a great deal of attention has been given by the concern for some time.

A Schramm Family Society with membership in various parts of the world is under the direction of Dr. Arthur Schramm, 2270 Colorado Blvd., Los Angeles 41, California. A letter press printed news sheet is printed quarterly.

Mrs. Robt. M. ((Memory A.) Lester wants all researchers to know that the 1820 census for eight Alabama counties have been available for some time. They were published some time ago in the Alabama Historical Review. These are the counties: Baldwin, Conecuh, Dallas, Franklin, Limestone St. Clair, Shelby and Wilcox.

Many Branches Of Stricklands Are Gathered

Somewhere all over our country are members of the Strickland family who could get a lot of advantage from the records gathered by Mrs. Buford C. (Mary Barnett) Curtis ,3812 Lafayette, Fort Worth, Texas.

For thirteen years Mrs. Curtis has been gathering Strickland data whereever it has been found whether or not it pertained to her particular family. The data of these thousands of Stricklands she is willing to present to those who belong to them if they will but step forward and make their wants known.

"I have met a snag in my husband's Strickland lines," says Mrs. Curtis. "I have not been able to get his family out of Franklin County, Alabama back into Tennessee (thru records that is) since the court house burned not once but twice. I have approached this county from every known angle and can still find no records on my Stricklands. I have been attempting to find the records of LAGRANGE COLLEGE, a Methodist institute, where I believe a couple of his line attended and became ministers. This college was located at Tuscumbia, Alabama, and at one time Littleton Fowler was its president. To date I have not been successful. I believe the college was discontinued about 1845. Littleton Fowler, along with Isaac L. G. Strickland came with Jesse Hord in 1838 but contacted lung fever and died at Bell's Plantation in Brazoria County in 1839. His remains were recently moved from his former grave at the Plantation to the church yard at West Columbia, Texas, when then the new Methodist church there was dedicated to him as being the founder of the first Methodist church in Brazoria County."

Querys Should Be More Explicit

"I think it is most important for those seeking assistance in finding their ancestors to state in their query the state in which the ancestors lived" writes a highly successful researcher. "Frankly those of us who have been at this for a long time, don't bother with querries that give no state at all. If it is New England, Pennsylvania, New York, Mississippi or Alabama ,it makes a lot of difference. Like many others I have no time to write to find out WHAT state they want data from. I am sure that many might be helped if their querries stated precisely where the ancestor lived."

The stand is well taken and the suggestion is highly appreciated.